

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS, OTHERS

Food, Money Donations Are Received By DAPS

The Knights of Columbus Blessed Trinity Council presented the Dawson Area Personal Services food bank a \$1,000 check June 19. The Knights raised the funds by selling barbe-

cue sandwich meals during Dawson Springs' second annual Mule Days celebration.

The presentation culminated a food drive that was anchored by the community's 40

Cans for Lent food giving challenge. This year's drive brought 3,573 donated food items to DAPS, along with \$1,050 from local individuals, businesses and churches. The Knights of Columbus' check on Friday added to that total.

The Knights expect to receive \$500 in matching funds from the organization's national office. This money will also be donated to DAPS to further its good works.

DAPS receives no government funding. It is open Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 9 to 11 a.m. to support Dawson Springs area residents in need. It also accepts donations during these hours. DAPS always needs volunteers who are willing to donate a few hours of their time each month to stock shelves and issue food items.



GEORGE BARBER (right), Grand Knight of Columbus Blessed Trinity Council, presents a \$1,000 check to DAPS representative Sue Alexander. Others present are (from left) Jim Hillerich, council treasurer; Rodney Riley, donor and DAPS volunteer; Jeff Winfrey, DAPS president; Tracy Overby, DAPS treasurer; and Mike Marsili, council Deputy Grand Knight.

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ENGLISH TEACHER RESIGNS

Budget Is Discussed

By Dasha Tuck

The Dawson Springs Junior-Senior High SBDM Council met June 17.

On the agenda was the 2014-2015 budget and the resignation of Rachel McCain, the 9th and 10th-grade English teacher.

McCain has accepted a position as a reading coach in Christian County. McCain was referred to by Cassie Ipock as the best English teacher in the district. Wayne Simpson said McCain will be hard to replace.

The council has been saving money to renovate the school's media center. The amount of \$5,000 will be set aside from both the 2013-2014 budget and the 2014-2015 budget to complete the renovations.

As of June 15 \$13,474.38, 82%, of the 2014-2015 budget has been spent.

Supplies requested by the teachers has encumbered \$6,968.62. Included student/teacher magazines, science lab materials, paper, toner cartridges and teacher supplies. These purchases will be made between now and July 1.

A new scorer's table will be purchased for the use at the sporting events. The council will contribute to the purchase. The table will be portable and have cushioned seats.

Stockman has plans for new Spanish textbooks. They are exploring all options including only purchasing classroom sets of the books that have exceeded their shelf life.

Improvements to the school are in the works. The lobby has been repainted, floors are being waxed and air conditioning has been installed in the loft that houses the computer lab.

Kati Griffin and Rachel McCain were absent from the meeting preventing a quorum; therefore nothing discussed was officially approved.

Cassie Ipock attended her last site based meeting because her term on the board has expired. Ipock has been on the council since 2006.

The English teacher position has been posted and interviews for the position will take place between now and the July meeting.

The next meeting will be July 15 at 4 p.m.



ANDIE and ALLIE Mills focus on their pot of sauce, quickly learning that a watched pot never boils.

photos by Dasha Tuck

BARBECUE IS FRIDAY, JULY 24

Sauce Is In Coolers

By Dasha Tuck

Preparation for the Dawson Springs barbecue has begun. Last Thursday the high school's cafeteria was full of volunteers making sauce. This year they made 210 gallons of barbecue



INGREDIENTS for the next batch of barbecue sauce are ready to go.

sauce.

The crew began making sauce at 7 a.m., and Jennifer Hall said they would be there for about eight hours. Hall said there are people who have been involved in helping with the barbecue for more than 50 years.

"That's what keeps the barbecue going," Hall said.

Each batch of sauce takes about an hour and a half to cook. After the sauce has cooked, the vats are drained and the volunteers work together to bottle the sauce into large bottles.

Kathy Nichols has been involved in the making of the sauce for 25-30 years she said. The sauce is made and sitting in coolers right now, a month before the actual barbecue.

"This is really the only fund raiser for the community center," Nichols

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HOUSING AUTHORITY OF DAWSON SPRINGS

Students Create New Website, Logo

By Dasha Tuck

When Dawson Springs Housing Authority decided to create a new website, Executive Director Steven Parker looked to the local high school's multimedia class to help with this project.

Parker talked to Sasha Fight, instructor of the multimedia course as well as the advanced course, and the job of building the website was delegated to the advanced multimedia course. Shayna Jackson is a graduated senior who was involved in making the website but was not available for the story.

Sophomore Tanner Weir was appointed to create the logo for the website.

"I just heard them talking about it in class and said I would do it because I do most of the technology stuff for the school that is kind of outside of everyone else's reach," Weir said.

Weir said he was careful when choosing which program to run the logo. He said he knew that if he didn't use the right program it would be difficult



to blow the image up without the image coming out blurred and distorted.

"I was careful because whenever you load an image you have to use special documents, and it's hard to blow up without the picture being blurry," Weir said he made eight

different versions of the logo before he was happy with the product. He said the only requirements he

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City Budget Is Approved

The city council held a called meeting Thursday to hear a second reading of the proposed Dawson Springs city budget for fiscal year 2015-2016. The budget was approved 4 to 0 in a roll call vote. Kenny Mitchell and Mark McGregor were not present.

A second reading of amended ordinance #37 which added a return to work program to the city personnel policy was also heard. The amendment was approved 4 to 0.

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Obituaries

Ronnie Hammons, 71

Y. Hartwell "Hardy" Jackson, 92

Patricia C. Robinson, 75

LOCAL 5 DAY FORECAST

Wed 6/24	Thu 6/25	Fri 6/26	Sat 6/27	Sun 6/28
 91/73 Partly cloudy skies. A stray shower or thunderstorm is possible. High 91F.	 97/73 Sunshine. Highs in the upper 90s and lows in the low 70s.	 86/67 Scattered thunderstorms possible.	 79/60 Isolated thunderstorms. Highs in the upper 70s and lows in the low 60s.	 81/62 Plenty of sun. Highs in the low 80s and lows in the low 60s.

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Services Held Saturday For Pamela Messamore

The funeral for Pamela June Messamore, 59, of Dawson Springs, was held at 2 p.m. Saturday at Beshear Funeral Home. Visitation was from 4 to 9 p.m. Friday and from 9 a.m. until the funeral hour Saturday.

The Rev. Sam Haulk officiated. Burial was in Rosedale Cemetery.

Mrs. Messamore died June 14, 2015, at Baptist Health Madisonville.

She was born March 8, 1956, to the late George and Naomi Dyer Wallace.

She worked as a regional manager for public housing and was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband, Larry Messamore of Dawson Springs;



PAM MESSAMORE

a daughter, Amy June Tath of Alanson, Mich.; a son, Scott Messamore of Eddyville; two brothers, Timothy Wallace of Franklin, Tenn., and Keith Wallace of Raleigh, N.C.; and seven grandchildren.

Sevices Are Pending For Patricia C. Robinson, 75

Arrangements are pending for Patricia C. Robinson, 75, of Dawson

Springs.

She died June 22, 2015, at her home.

Area Man Faces Charges For Indecent Exposure

A local man was charged June 17 with first-degree sexual abuse of a victim under 12 years of age.

Jewell D. Wright, 40 Finley Lane, admitted to deputies from the Hopkins County Sheriff's Department that he had "exposed himself" to a 7-year-old girl but did

not touch her.

Wright was arrested as a result of a complaint from a homeowner from Dawson Springs and an area mother.

Wright's charge is a Class C felony with a potential jail sentence of up to 10 years. He was lodged in the Hopkins County Detention Center.

Healthy Kentucky Board Seeking New Directors

The Foundation for a Healthy Kentucky is now accepting nominations for its Board of Directors and Community Advisory Committee. The 15-member board and 31-member committee are the foundation's governing and advisory bodies. The foundation encourages nominees who bring the following:

- Age and gender diversity — individuals under 40 currently not represented on the board;
- Racial, ethnic and cultural diversity — communities of color are currently under represented;
- Consumer representation — persons with no professional affiliation with health related careers or services.
- Experience outside health/healthcare industry — such as K-12 education, finance, banking, law, social services and community development.

The board of directors is responsible for

preserving the foundation's endowment and upholding the mission of addressing the unmet healthcare needs of Kentuckians. Nominations are being accepted for one seat on the board from the state at large.

The foundation is also accepting CAC nominations in anticipation of electing nine new members. CAC members provide advice and recommendations to the board, serve as community liaisons, serve on foundation committees, take part in the annual policy forum and appoint/nominate candidates to the board of directors.

The deadline for receipt of nominations is July 24.

Nominations may be submitted online at mschircliffe@healthy-ky.org, or by mail to Mary Jo Shircliffe, COO at Foundation for a Healthy Kentucky, 1640 Lyndon Farm Court, Suite 100, Louisville, KY 40223.

OBITUARIES

Services Held Saturday For Ronnie Hammons

The funeral for Ronnie Hammons, 71, of Caldwell County, was held Saturday at Morgan's Funeral Home.

Bro. Duane Burden officiated. Burial was in Millwood Cemetery.

Hammons died June 15, 2015, at his home.

He was born Aug. 3, 1943, in Paducah, to the late Harris and Eskeleen Atwood Hammons.

He was a United States Air Force veteran, the owner of Hammons Automotive in Princeton and a member of Midway Missionary Baptist Church.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by four brothers,

Jim Hammons, Harold Hammons, Charles Hammons and Bonnie Hammons; and two sisters, Jean Duncan and Peggy Powers.

Survivors include his wife, Kay Cravens Hammons; two stepsons, Robby Robinson of Princeton and Kevin Solomon of Paducah; two stepdaughters, Shawn Crayne of Kevil and Michelle Miller of Sarasota, Fla.; six stepgrandchildren and several stepgreat-grandchildren.

Memorial contributions may be made to Millwood Cemetery, c/o Vicki Brown, 401 Magnolia Lane, Princeton, KY 42445.

Dawson Springs Officers Report Week's Activities

The Dawson Springs Police Department released the following reports last week:

—Anthony W. Clark, 21, Dawson Springs, was charged June 14 with second-degree assault (domestic violence), two counts of first-degree criminal abuse of a child 12 or under and second-degree wanton endangerment.

—Tymori L. Murphy, 37, Madisonville, was charged June 17 with second-degree disorderly conduct.

—Eric L. Johnson, 23, Dawson Springs, was charged June 19 with fourth-degree assault with minor injury.

—Daniel M. Moening, 68, Dawson Springs, was charged June 20 with nonpayment of fines on a Hart County bench warrant.

—Matthew R. Huddleston, 22, St. Charles, was charged June 21 with operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs/etc.

Two local residents were charged by the Madisonville Police Department:

—Krista P. Huddleston, 25, 705 Union Grove Ave., was charged June 21 with failure to or

improper signal, operating a motor vehicle on a suspended or revoked operator's license, second-degree fleeing or evading police (on foot), theft of identity of another without consent and giving an officer a false name or address. Huddleston was also charged with four counts of failure to appear on Hopkins County warrants.

—Matthew J. Allard, 32, 705 Union Grove Ave., was charged June 21 with second-degree fleeing or evading police (on foot) and possession of drug paraphernalia. Allard was also charged with two counts of nonpayment of fines on Hopkins County warrants and three counts of nonpayment of fines on Crittenden County warrants.

A Dawson Springs woman was charged by the Hopkins County Sheriff's Office:

—Jacqueline R. Rose, 24, 10 Crawford Lane, was charged June 21 with operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs, possession of marijuana, possession of synthetic drugs and third-degree possession of a controlled substance (drug unspecified).

Funeral Is Held Sunday For Y. Hartwell Jackson

The funeral for Yulious Hartwell "Hardy" Jackson, 92, of Cumming, Ga., formerly of Dawson Springs, was held Sunday at Beshear Funeral Home.

The Rev. Ben Newman officiated. Burial with military rites provided by a military honor guard was in Ilsley Cemetery.

Jackson died June 18, 2015, in Cumming, Ga.

He was born June 8, 1923, in Dawson Springs, to the late Etna A. and Minnie Lee Beshear

Jackson.

He was a United States Army veteran, serving during World War II, and also worked for the Chrysler Corp.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife, Evelyn Carroll Jackson, March 3, 1994; a sister, Cynthia Frances Bell; and a brother, Bill Jackson.

Survivors include a daughter, Margaret Newman of Cumming, Ga.; and a granddaughter; and three great-grandchildren.

Driver Suffers Injuries In Mortons Gap Accident

A single-vehicle accident Saturday on Hopkinsville Road in Mortons Gap sent one person to the hospital.

According to the Hopkins County Sheriff's Department, Rachel L. Moore, 51, of Mortons Gap, was driving north in front of Hopkins County Central High School when her car left the right side of the road.

The vehicle traveled through trees and rolled down into a ditch, coming to rest on the driver's side. Moore was removed from the vehicle by the South Hopkins Fire Department. She was transported by ambulance to the emergency room at Baptist Health Madisonville.

Mike Evans was the reporting deputy.

Hopkins Co. Health Dept. Issues Restaurant Report

The following food service establishment inspections were conducted by the Hopkins County Health Department through June 18.

•Subway (South Main Street) — 100

•5 Star Video & Grocery/Deli — 95

Violations for debris beneath deep fryer and dust/debris beneath shelves and hand sink.

•Melody Lanes Snack Bar — 97

Violations for thermometer needed in small cooler and rubber stripping on cooler door in need of replacing.

•Dinky Diner — 100

•Mandarin House (new) — 84 (follow-up required)

Violations for fly strips hanging above prep tables; dish baskets on floor; bag of cabbage touching wet floor; wet, soiled wiping cloths on counters, not in sanitizer; freezer walk-in temperature 28 degrees; thermometers needed in most of the cooling units; several containers of uncovered food; containers without handles used for scoops; box of paper towels on floor; and dumpster plug missing.

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AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO THE ANNUAL BUDGET AND APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR JULY 1, 2015 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2016 FOR THE CITY OF DAWSON SPRINGS, KENTUCKY					
WHEREAS, a budget proposal and message was presented to the legislative body on the 15 day of June, 2015; and,					
WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on the proposed budget on the 1 st day of June, 2015.					
NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE LEGISLATIVE BODY OF DAWSON SPRINGS, KENTUCKY THAT THE FOLLOWING BUDGET IS ADOPTED FOR FY-2015-2016 AND THE AMOUNTS STATED ARE APPROPRIATED FOR THE PURPOSES INDICATED.					
	GENERAL FUND	MUNICIPAL ROAD AID	LGEAF	OTHER FUNDS	TOTAL
REVENUE					
Taxes	652,000				652,000
Licenses & Permits	73,200			36,000	109,200
Charges for Services	212,000				212,000
Intergovernmental Revenue	82,000	379,100	48,000	10,350	519,450
Miscellaneous	9,650			50	9,700
Other Unappropriated Funds	200,000			135,700	335,700
TOTAL REVENUE	1,228,850	379,100	48,000	182,100	1,838,050
EXPENDITURES					
General Government	261,300				261,300
Intergovernmental Exp.	79,885				79,885
Police Department	389,460			84,800	474,260
Fire Department	66,950			10,350	77,300
Street & Sanitation Dept.	299,650	337,600	6,000	15,200	658,450
Code Enforcement	27,000				27,000
Other Departments	81,000		4,000	15,000	100,000
Other Expense	1,800		15,550		17,350
Reserve for Contingencies/Capital Equip.	21,805	41,500	22,450	56,750	142,505
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	1,228,850	379,100	48,000	182,100	1,838,050
DATE OF FIRST PUBLIC READING JUNE 15, 2015. PUBLICLY READ AND ADOPTED ON SECOND READING JUNE 18, 2015. ADOPTED THIS 18 th DAY OF JUNE, 2015.					
ATTEST:					
 Janet M. Dunbar, City Clerk/Treasurer					
 Jenny Sewell, Interim Mayor City of Dawson Springs					

New Kentucky Laws Become Effective Today

Per the Kentucky Constitution, new laws must take effect 90 days after the adjournment of the legislature. Because the General Assembly adjourned March 25, the new laws take effect today.

There are some exceptions, such as bills that contain an emergency clause, like this year's measure to fight heroin abuse. Other bills specified their own effective dates, such as a measure that goes into effect early next year to offer some civil protections to victims of dating violence.

Here's a quick run-down of some laws that take effect June 24:

•Beer distribution. House Bill 168 states that beer brewing companies can't own beer distributorships. The measure is

meant to affirm that beer is not exempt from the state's three-tier system of regulating — and keeping separate — alcoholic beverage producers, distributors and retailers.

•Charitable gaming. Senate Bill 33 will allow electronic versions of pull-tab Bingo tickets at charitable Bingo halls.

•Child abuse. SB 102 will allow a death caused by intentional abuse to be considered first-degree manslaughter.

•Child booster seats. HB 315 will require booster seats to be used in motor vehicles by children who are less than eight years old and are between 40 and 57 inches in height.

•Crowdfunding. HB 76 will help Kentucky entrepreneurs to gain investors through crowdfunding.

The bill will allow people to invest up to \$10,000 through a crowdfunding platform while helping businesses raise up to \$2 million.

•Drug abuse. HB 24 is designed to prevent youth from misusing certain cough medicines to get high — sometimes called "robotripping" — by restricting access to medicines that contain dextromethorphan. The bill will prevent sales of dextromethorphan-based products, such as Robitussin-DM or Nyquil, to minors.

•Drunk driving. SB 133 will expand the use of ignition interlocks for people caught driving under the influence of alcohol. An ignition interlock is about the size of a mobile phone and is wired into the ignition system of a vehicle. People convicted of a DUI must blow into the device in order to start their vehicle. If they have a measurable amount of alcohol in their system, the vehicle will not start.

•Early childhood development. HB 234 will require early child care

and education programs to follow a state quality-based rating system.

•Emergency responders. SB 161 will authorize the governor to order that U.S. flags be lowered to half-staff on state buildings if a Kentucky first-responder dies in the line of duty.

•End-of-life care. SB 77 will allow Kentuckians to use a health care directive known as a "medical order for scope of treatment." These orders spell out patients' wishes for end-of-life care. Unlike advance directives, the orders are considered to be physician's orders and are signed by both the patient or patient's legal surrogate, and the patient's physician.

•Hunters. SB 55 will ensure that game meat can be donated to nonprofit organizations to feed the hungry as long as the meat was properly field dressed and processed and is considered disease-free and unspoiled.

•Kentucky Employees Retirement System. HB 62 will make sure the agen-

cies that want to leave the Kentucky Employees Retirement System pay their part of the system's unfunded liability.

•Newborn health screening. SB 75 will require newborn health screenings to include checks for Krabbe Disease, an inherited disorder that affects the nervous system.

•Retirement systems. HB 47 will add the Legislators' Retirement Plan, the Judicial Retirement Plan, and the Kentucky Teachers' Retirement System to the Public Pension Oversight Board's review responsibilities.

•Spina bifida. SB 159 will require health care providers to give information about spina bifida and treatment options to parents whose unborn children have been diagnosed with the disorder.

•Stroke care. SB 10 will improve care for stroke victims by requiring the state to make sure local emergency services have access to a list of all acute stroke-ready hospitals, comprehensive stroke centers, and

primary stroke centers in Kentucky. Emergency medical services directors would be required to create protocols for assessment and treatment of stroke victims.

•Tax check-offs. SB 82 will place check-off boxes on tax forms to give people getting state income tax refunds the option of donating a portion of their refund to support child cancer research, the Special Olympics or rape crisis centers.

•Telephone deregulation. HB 152 is aimed at modernizing telecommunications and allowing more investment in modern technologies by ending phone companies' obligations to provide landline phone services to customers in urban and suburban areas if they provide service through another technology, such as a wireless or Internet-based phone service. While rural customers can keep landline phones, newly constructed homes in rural areas won't be guaranteed landline services.

Landmark Church Hosting Praise And Worship Service

The public is invited to join Landmark Church for Praise & Worship in the Square at 7 p.m. Saturday.

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II Kings 17

Israel was defeated and taken into exile by the Assyrians because the Israelites had sinned against the LORD their God. They worshiped other gods and secretly did things against the LORD. They set up sacred stones and Asherah poles on every high hill and under every spreading tree. They burned incense, did wicked things that provoked the LORD to anger, worshiped idols, though the LORD had said, "You shall not do this." The LORD warned Israel and Judah through all his prophets and seers to turn from their evil ways, observe His commands and decrees but they would not listen. They were stiff-necked and rejected God's decrees and the covenant he had made with their fathers and the warnings he had given them. They followed worthless idols and themselves became worthless as they imitated the nations around them. Forsaking all the commands of the LORD their God they made for themselves two idols in the shape of calves, and an Asherah pole. They bowed down to all the starry hosts, worshiped Baal and sacrificed their sons and daughters in the fire. They practiced divination and sorcery and sold themselves to do evil in the eyes of the LORD, provoking him to anger. The LORD was very angry with Israel and removed them from his presence. So the people of Israel were taken from their homeland into exile in Assyria.

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Housing Funds Available For Low-Income Families

USDA Rural Development State Director Tom Fern has announced the availability of federal funds for housing loans and that applications are being accepted for the low- and very-low income citizens in rural Kentucky.

"USDA mortgage loan programs are life-savers for so many rural residents who have been unable to purchase their own homes," said Fern. "The Single Family Housing Direct Loan program helps improve quality of life and economic opportunity in rural Kentucky, serving our most vulnerable residents — low-income families, the elderly and persons with disabilities."

In 2014 alone, USDA helped more than 5,000 rural Kentucky residents become homeowners by investing more than \$521 million in loans, grants and technical assistance that provided affordable, safe housing for rural Kentuckians.

"Affordable home financing creates leaders of opportunities to help families grow and thrive," said Fern. "The multitudes of homeowners assisted through USDA programs generate tremendous benefits that ensure rural America remains a vital and prosperous place to live,

work and raise a family today and in the future."

The lack of access to decent, safe and affordable rural housing and difficulties obtaining mortgage credit severely limits options for rural citizens. Rural Development offers direct and guaranteed single-family housing loans to eligible rural residents. Applicants may obtain 100 percent financing to purchase an existing dwelling, purchase a site and construct a dwelling, purchase newly constructed dwellings located in rural areas. Eligibility is based on household income, repayment ability and credit history.

Through its Direct Loan Program, USDA assists low- and very-low income applicants obtain decent, safe and sanitary housing in eligible rural areas. Applicants must meet income eligibility for a direct loan. Additional details about eligibility requirements are available through Rural Development offices.

The guaranteed loan program provides homeownership loans through approved lenders. Additional information on the USDA housing programs can be found at <http://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/single-family-housing-guaranteed-loan-program/ky>.

New Business Website Offers Improved Features

From Kentucky Press News Service

New business owners will find the Kentucky Business One Stop Portal even easier to navigate, thanks to new time- and cost-saving features. With a single log-on at onestop.ky.gov, business owners can register with both the Secretary of State's Office and the Department of Revenue, file their withholding tax return and renew Occupations & Professional licenses.

One of the most noticeable changes is that when a business receives approval, the applicant will see the transactions on a "dashboard." From the dashboard the owner can access all pertinent information including the automatically assigned tax account numbers and the ability to immediately view and print a Sales and Use Tax Permit.

Other new interactive features mean changes take place in real time and include:

— A unique Commonwealth Business Identification number (CBI), which will eventually be the only number that a business needs to interact with state government.

— A streamlined central registration system.

Now a business will need to enter or update only once "common information" such as business name, address and phone number.

— The capability for businesses to manage security for their own data by delegating access to other individuals such as lawyers, accountants or managers.

Phase one enhancements went live on April 30. Already more than 1,500 new businesses have registered and nearly 1,500 registration applications are in progress. Phase two of the portal will launch in late August or early September and will allow existing businesses to manage their information from the portal.

The Kentucky Business One Stop Portal was originally created in 2011 to simplify and streamline business interactions with different government agencies. It is as a partnership of the Office of the Secretary of State, the Finance and Administration Cabinet, the Cabinet for Economic Development, and the Commonwealth Office of Technology. More features and other state agencies will be added in the future, the news release said.



JONATHAN GARRETT prepares his LEGO display Friday, May 15, during the Lego Club meeting which takes place the first and third Friday of each month.

More Females Becoming Biomed Equipment Techs

Traditionally viewed as a male occupation, the biomedical equipment technician profession is seeing a growing trend of females entering the field. Madisonville Community College's biomedical technology systems program is part of this growing trend. In recent years, BTS program coordinator Joey Jones has seen increased interest and enrollment of female students who have become successful technicians and department supervisors.

BTS female graduates from MCC's program are now working in hospitals such as Deaconess Hospital in Evansville, Ind., and Baptist Hospital in Nashville, Tenn. Other female graduates have accepted biomedical equipment technician positions in larger cities such as Minneapolis, Minn., and Austin, Texas, where their achievements have led to promotions to higher level positions within their respective clinical engineering departments. Their success is not surprising as many females naturally have the traits of attention to detail, drive, determination, timeliness and professionalism that are desirable for a biomedical equipment technician.

MCC has the only public biomedical technology systems college program in Kentucky and Tennessee. The program prepares students to repair, maintain, test, inspect and manage all types of medical equipment and systems, both general and advanced in design and application. Employment opportunities are available with hospitals, clinics, dialysis treatment centers, ambulatory care/surgical centers, diagnostic medical imaging centers,

home medical equipment companies, and medical equipment manufacturers. To accommodate busy schedules, the BTS classes are online and only require students to complete on site lab activities one day per week.

Employment of medical equipment repairers is projected to grow 30 percent from 2012 to 2022, resulting from greater demand for healthcare services and the use of increasingly complex medical equipment. An individual with an associate degree in biomedical equipment technology should have some of the best job opportunities. U.S. News and World Report lists medical equipment repairer as one of the best healthcare jobs to pursue for 2015. Plus, Money Magazine lists the biomedical equipment technician career among an elite group it is calling The Five Best Jobs You've Never Heard Of.

For information about the program, contact Joey Jones at 270-824-1759 or joey.jones@kctcs.edu.

State's Child Abuse Laws To Increase Punishment

**By Rebecca Walter
Kentucky New Era**

The fate of offenders in child abuse fatalities in Kentucky is about to get more severe.

Senate Bill 102, which is among the 98 laws which are now in effect, will now allow a death caused by intentional abuse to be considered first-degree manslaughter.

Manslaughter in the first-degree is when the offender has the intent to cause serious physical injury to another person and causes the death of that person, or when the offender has the intent to cause the death of another person but is under circumstances that do not constitute murder because the offender acts under the influence of extreme emotional disturbance, according to Kentucky General Assembly's definition which is effective today.

While the subject may be difficult to discuss, the cases of child abuse and the number of fatalities occurring in Kentucky are substantial.

The Division of Protection and Permanency under the Department for Community Based Services Cabinet for Health and Family Services issued a report in September 2014 examining fatalities and near fatalities caused by child abuse or neglect.

For the 2014 fiscal year, 94 percent all cases of fatal or near fatal physical abuse cases involved children ages 4 or younger.

The report found the number of fatalities in which abuse/neglect was substantiated decreased by more than half in the last five years. In 2010, 35 fatalities occurred, 31 occurred in 2011, 32 in 2012, 22 in 2013, and the number dropped to 12 in 2014.

For the number of near fatalities in which abuse/neglect was substantiated, there were 51 cases in 2010, 48 in 2011, 44 in 2012, 46 in 2013 and 29 in 2014.

However, the number of abuse/neglect reports

that were substantiated climbed significantly over the past five years. There were 9,477 reports in 2010, 9,595 in 2011, 9,935 in 2012, 11,288 in 2013 and 12,120 in 2014. These numbers are not related to fatalities or near fatalities.

Although it does not deal directly with child abuse fatalities, Pennyryle Children's Advocacy Center in Hopkinsville is heavily involved in child abuse advocacy.

The center serves the nine counties in the Pennyryle region and works to provide a comfortable, private, child-friendly setting that is both physically and psychologically safe for children to receive help.

Those at the center say Christian County is not immune to the child abuse statistics in Kentucky.

In the past two years, PCAC has provided services to more than 600 children who were physically and/or sexually abused, according to Executive Director Candra Barnett. The center does not have numbers of child abuse fatalities or near fatalities since it is out of their service range.

The September 2014 report focused on the 208 children involved in a substantiated child abuse or neglect event that resulted in the child's death or serious injury and the circumstances around the event.

By gender, 59 percent of victims were male and 41 percent were female.

With ethnicity, 78 percent of victims were Caucasian, 14 percent were African-American, 5 percent were from two or more races and 2 percent were Hispanic.

Ninety-eight of the 117 new laws passed in the 2015 General Assembly go into effect June 24. Per the Kentucky Constitution, new laws must take effect 90 days after the adjournment of the legislature, unless there is an emergency clause attached to the bill or it has its own effective date.



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Summer Readers Learn To Be Prepared In Emergencies



FRANK WRIGHT, director of the Hopkins County Emergency Management Center, teaches the summer readers at the Dawson Springs Branch Library Tuesday, June 16, about proper precautions to take to be prepared in an emergency situation. Youngsters listening are (from left) Gabriel Thomas, Cohl Hoard, Sophie Johnson and Gracie Grimes.

photos by Dasha Tuck

By Dasha Tuck

The summer readers were in for more than turning pages on last Tuesday at the Dawson Springs Branch Library.

The readers were visited by Frank Wright, the Director of the Hopkins County Emergency Management crew. Wright went though a powerpoint with the elementary age children. He explained to them how the emergency management responds to accidents involving hazardous material and fuel spills.

The children were taught about the proper precautions to take when faced with tornados, car accidents, and earthquakes. Wright showed the children pictures of men in hazardous material suits. He explained how the suits help protect the men.

Wright also brought with him one of the amateur radio emergency trucks. The children got to take a look inside the truck and use the radio to contact an employee from the emergency management office. The theme of the presentation was to inform the children of the things that can happen and how to react if an emergency situation presents itself.

“Don’t be scared, be prepared,” Wright said. Senior Allison Gordon from Dawson Springs High School came to speak with the reading group as well. Gordon is a part of the school’s teen community emergency response team, CERT.

Gordon came with her bag of supplies and showed the children her hard hat, safety goggles, neon vest and book of procedures. She explained to the children what she has been trained to do if there were an emergency.

“When you see these neon vests with the letters C E R T on them, you know that hey, that girl can come help me if I need it,” Gordon said.



SOPHIE JOHNSON uses radio to communicate with the Emergency Management Center.



AUBRIE THOMAS (left) and **Logan Kovach** take turns talking to personnel at the Emergency Management Center.

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OPINION

ABOUT TOWN

By Scott

It's time to heal; to stop the hatred

It would seem 150 years plus several weeks would be more than enough time for a nation to heal. Approximately seven and one half generations have come and gone, yet far too many people still want to hold on to icons and remembrances of a time long since past.

It's time to move on. It's time to heal. The confederate flag is a symbol of an ugly part of our nation's history. This symbol represents a time and place where people thought it was okay to own other human beings. It does not represent love or any other attribute that a compassionate person could possibly consider good.

It's true, the confederate flag is historic and apparently to some is a representation of their heritage.

But it's also true the swastika which represented Nazi Germany is historic and it could be said is representative to a people's heritage. After all, many German lives, including mothers, fathers, grandmothers, grandfathers, sons, daughters, etc. died in fighting World War II.

But practically the entire human race looks upon that symbol as one of hate and tyranny.

The flag which represented the Confederate States of America should be considered as an almost similar representation of how humans can mistreat other humans.

Right here in our own little community these flags are flown and placed on automobile bumpers, windows and license plates. I find it quite embarrassing.

States in our great nation which allow these flags to be flown on government property or as part of their state flag should feel ashamed they allow a symbol which to many people is hateful and hurtful. They should also be embarrassed.

The murder of nine black people in a church in South Carolina by a young white supremacist has made our country take notice of what truly is a racist symbol and icon from a dark time in our nation's history.

Many have asked the question of how the young murderer learned to hate. Perhaps partially it was by gazing upon a hateful icon.

Indeed, the state of Kentucky should also consider if a monument to the leader of the Confederate States of America is appropriate. Should the Jefferson Davis Monument actually be kept up by the good people of Kentucky? Should it be a state park or state shrine? Should my tax dollars and those of great-great-grandchildren of slaves be used to finance such a thing? It says here no, but that's not to be decided here. That's something our politicians need to consider.

History is one thing, but celebrating those who have found themselves on the wrong side of history is another. These icons and symbols should be in a museum similar to the holocaust museum. A museum dedicated to helping people live together in peace and with compassion by showing how awful we have treated one another in the past.

Please don't think I'm comparing the confederacy to Nazi Germany. There is no comparison. However, the hatred of other humans is similar.

Hopefully the murder of the innocent people in South Carolina will help us be considerate of others and think about what our signs and symbols really mean to our fellow man before we blatantly shove them down their throats.

The flag of the United States of America represents a country where all men are created equal, not one in which some are and others aren't. Let's stand by that flag and let the other one go.

Some people say there were reasons other than slavery for fighting the Civil War. The main reason these people use for the war is state's rights. They felt the federal government was over extending its authority. There are many people today who think the federal government over extends its authority.

However, no matter what may be said, the number one reason the Civil War was fought was indeed state's rights. In particular, it was the right of the states to hold slaves which brought about this war more than 154 years ago.

After such serious thoughts, it's either very inappropriate to fill this column with jokes or it's a good relief from all the seriousness. Either way, here goes...

Words of wisdom...

- When given a choice — take both.
- Start at the top and work your way up.
- Do it by the book — but be the author.
- When forced to compromise, ask for more.
- If you can't beat them, join them, and then beat them.
- If it's worth doing, it's got to be done right now.
- When faced without a challenge, make one.
- Don't walk when you can run.
- When in doubt: *think!*
- The squeaky wheel gets replaced.
- The faster you move, the slower time passes, the longer you live.

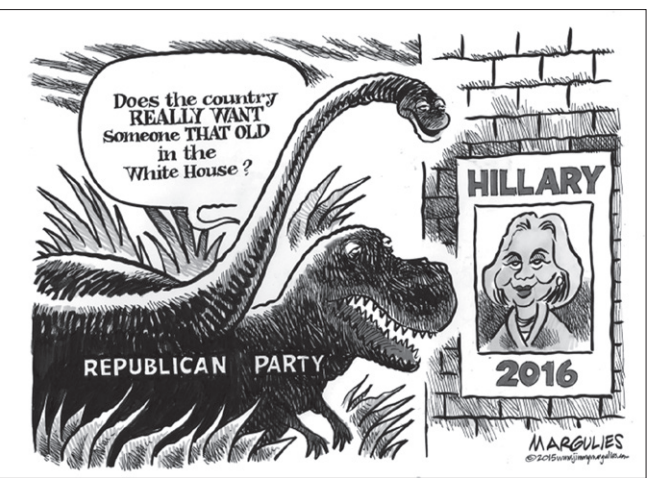
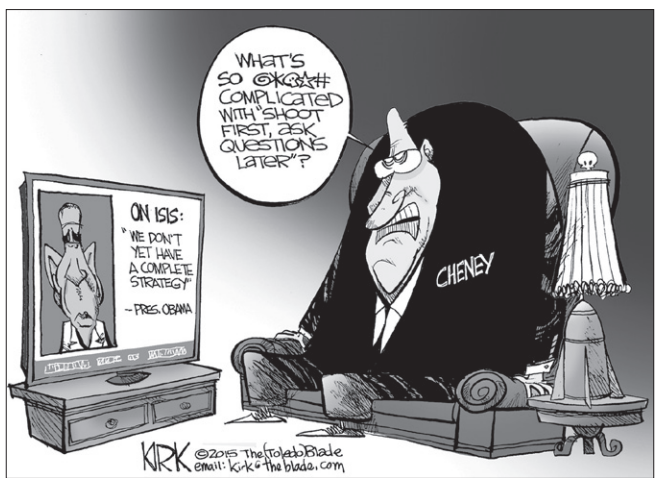
— An archaeologist was digging in the desert in Israel and came upon a casket containing a mummy, a rather rare occurrence in Israel, to say the least.

After examining it, he called the curator of the Israel museum in Jerusalem. "I've just discovered a 3,000-year-old mummy of a man who died of heart failure!" the excited scientist exclaimed.

To which the curator replied, "Bring him in. We'll check it out."

A week later, the amazed curator called the archaeologist. "You were right about both the mummy's age and cause of death. How in the world did you know?"

"Easy," the archaeologist said. "There was a piece of paper in his hand that said, '10,000 shekels on Goliath.'"



Commentary... Helmets are lifesafers on cycles

By Justice Bill Cunningham
Kentucky Supreme Court

I read in the newspaper this morning where another motorcyclist has been killed on a Kentucky highway. He was not wearing a helmet.

While I was in the Army, I rode a motorcycle all over Europe. I've been at the throttle of a two wheeler pushing one hundred miles per hour in the left lane on a German autobahn. I was running from a huge Mercedes on my tail flashing its lights for me to get out of the way. I had no place to go. The right lane would be clogged with slow moving lorries. I've driven swiftly and sometimes desperately through the narrow and twisted streets of the ancient ports of Trieste, Ostende, Holyhead, and Split. One day I received a harrowing police escort through the large port city of Newcastle, England, by a motorcycle cop. He was generously trying to get me to the ferry before it departed. My whole life flashed before me.

I've driven a motorcycle across our beautiful United States. The eye popping scenery along the Snake River in Idaho had to be seen from a narrow road following the stream with mirroring twists and turns. I've negotiated hair pin curves while riding on two wheels over the deep crevices in the Rockies. I've had snow spitting in my face in Montana when it was 90 degrees in Kentucky. You haven't been drenched and desperate at the same time until you are caught on a motorcycle in downtown Memphis during a blinding downpour, searching frantically for an underpass.

I still have a motorcycle license. What does all this have to do with anything? I say all that to say the following with at least a smidgen of credibility. All the money in the USA couldn't get me to ride a motorcycle without a helmet. It would take even more loot for me to put someone I love—girlfriend or wife—on the motorcycle with me, without a helmet. (Almost 90 percent of all motorcycle passengers killed are women.) My dog Julep used to ride the motorcycle with me. If there had been helmets for dogs, I'd have had one on her.

There are no fender benders on a motorcycle. Only serious accidents. I had a good friend who didn't make a curve, ran off the road at moderate speed and took a tumble. He got up, said a few words, collapsed into a coma and died. The bike was virtually undamaged. He wasn't wearing a helmet. If he had, he'd be alive today.

There was a heart stabbing twist to this tragedy. He had just bought the bike and was on his way home to get his head gear.

In 1968, Kentucky enacted a helmet law for all motorcycle riders. Then, 30 years later in 1998, that law was repealed. Now only operators under the age of 21, those riding on learning permits, or those who've had a license for less than one year are required to wear helmets while riding motorcycles.

Kentucky is listed near the top of the states which had the largest drop in helmet use after the repeal of the law. Shame on us. Kentucky, South Carolina, and Florida are the only states in the South without a helmet law. Again, shame on us.

Here are some facts you need to know from the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration and National Center for Injury Prevention and Control.

Motorcycle fatalities increased by over 50% after Kentucky's helmet law was repealed.

In 2014 there were 1,275 motorcycle injuries and 76 fatalities in Kentucky. Of those injured, 688 were not wearing a helmet. Of those killed, 46 were not wearing a helmet.

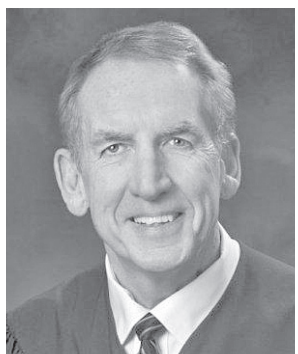
For every 100 motorcycle riders killed in crashes while not wearing a helmet, 37 of those 100 could have been saved had they been wearing a helmet.

Forty-one percent of motorcycle operators and 50 percent of motorcycle passengers who died in 2010 nationwide were not wearing a helmet.

I know this is getting tiresome. So we'll end with this. Nationwide, helmets reduce the risk of death by 37 percent. They reduce the risk of head injury by 69 percent. That's not a misprint—69 percent!

The argument against a helmet law is appealing. "My own safety is my business. It invades my own individual liberty to force me to wear a helmet."

Of course the reasoning is flawed. Motorcycles travel on public highways. Your death or injury upon the public highways affects us all. When a cyclist goes down on the highway, we all go down. The young daughter growing up without a mother is stricken. The elderly and infirm father is deprived of an only son. An empty chair sits at the holiday meal.



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There are things worse than death. A perpetual coma or total paralysis for years is not out of the picture for head injuries sustained by a helmetless rider. Medical and nursing costs can run into the millions. Most families cannot afford it. They keep their loved one alive with the help of costs shared by taxpayers everywhere. The national economic burden from crash-related injuries and deaths in one year alone totals \$12 billion. Your carelessness may well become the business of strangers.

Here's what Lt. Col. James Champagne, former Executive Director of Louisiana Safety Commission says. "You can talk about freedom of choice, but when other people have to pay for the consequences of that choice, then it's not freedom of choice at all."

There is another dimension no one ever considers. Unless you've been one of those unfortunate souls who have been involved in a fatal traffic accident which was not your fault, you will not fully understand. The person killed would have lived, had they worn their seat belt—or worn their helmet. You are innocent. But you are also a human being. You are sensitive to the loss of human life in an accident in which you were involved. You have sleepless nights. Though totally without fault, you carry this searing memory to your grave.

The real pros I see on motorcycles today are the ones dressed in leather trousers and jackets. And of course they are wearing good helmets. Leathers are expensive and can be unbearable in the summer. But I wouldn't bike without a helmet if I was cruising down the golden streets of the New Jerusalem in heavenly weather.

I see the helmetless riders on the road today and I cringe. I see the imaginary words written across their backs, "it won't happen to me." It saddens me. These are such nice people riding motorcycles today. I want to say something. But I don't. My wife and grown children keep me in ample supply of "none of your business." Instead, I'm writing these words.

So, if you have loved ones who ride motorcycles without helmets, you might consider cutting out this article and giving it to them. Chances are very slim that it will do any good. But at least you would have tried.

Other editors

Coal barons get private gubernatorial parade

Even if you can't afford to buy a Thoroughbred at Keeneland, you can watch the parade of horseflesh through the auction ring and the bidding.

Not so for the candidates for Kentucky governor, who paraded privately for coal industry executives recently at a resort in Bristol, Va., as the Herald-Leader's Sam Youngman reported.

Neither Republican Matt Bevin, who routinely releases his campaign schedule, nor Democrat Jack Conway, who does not, notified the media of their audience with the industry heavyweights.

Bill Bissett, president of the Kentucky Coal Association, confirmed that he moderated the event between Bevin and Conway in front of 100 to 120 representatives of coal and other energy interests.

Republican Jeb Bush, who recently announced his presidential candidacy, also appeared before the gathering.

It would be interesting to know if the discussion behind closed doors was more realistic than the "coal now, coal forever" rhetoric we've been forced to expect from Kentucky politicians, including Bevin and Conway.

Bloomberg Business reports that record shale production in the eastern U.S. is making natural gas cheaper than coal, producing a glut of mined coal. Nationwide, coal accounted for 36 percent of electricity generation through March, down from 42 percent a year earlier. Gas' share rose to 29 percent from 24 percent, according to the Energy Information Administration.

In Eastern Kentucky and West Virginia, resource depletion has pushed up the cost of coal production, making it even less profitable to mine and leading to more layoffs.

With the industry on the ropes in Central Appalachia and under pressure everywhere, the coal execs will be looking for even more favors than usual from state gov-

ernment.

No word yet on which candidate for governor won the bidding, but if history is any guide, the coal industry will end up owning them both.

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\$14.04 Million Contract Awarded For Mortons Gap Interchange

Gov. Steve Beshear recently announced the award of a contract for more of the improvements needed to bring the Edward T. Breathitt Pennyriple Parkway up to interstate highway standards and eventual designation as Interstate 69.

The project involves reconstruction of the interchange at Mortons Gap. The existing interchange will be converted to a diamond interchange to accommodate traffic moving at modern highway speeds. Road Builders LLC was awarded the contract on a low bid of

\$14.04 million. The project has a completion date of June 1, 2017. The project area covers about one mile.

"This is another important step in the I-69 Corridor project through Western Kentucky," Beshear said. "It will result in an interchange that

meets federal interstate standards and get us even closer to completion."

Reconstruction of the interchange is part of a larger project to upgrade a portion of the Pennyriple Parkway to become part of I-69. When the corridor is complete, I-69 will run

north to south from the Ohio River at Henderson to the Tennessee line at Fulton. In addition to the Pennyriple Parkway, the corridor includes sections of I-24, the Wendell H. Ford Western Kentucky Parkway and the Julian M. Carroll Purchase Parkway.

Former Caregiver Is Sentenced

Ashley Burchett, 28, of Princeton, was sentenced yesterday in Christian Circuit Court to three years in prison, which will be diverted for a period of three years. She was charged with wantonly abusing an adult.

It was alleged that Burchett, while a caregiver at Outwood Intermediate Care Facility, abused a nonverbal resident with severe mental disabilities by pushing him into his wheelchair when

he tried to stand up and by striking him in the head with a can of chewing tobacco. Burchett entered a guilty plea in Christian Circuit Court on March 25.

Attorney General Conway's Medicaid Fraud and Abuse Control Unit investigated this case along with the Department of Community Based Services. It was prosecuted by the Christian County Commonwealth's Attorney Lynn Pryor.

Students Create New Website, Logo

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had to meet were that the logo say Housing Authority of Dawson Springs, have a house in the design and the date it was established.

He said he had the eight original versions which he edited according to Parker's preferences. He said he ended up with around 12 total versions.

"The logo looks really simple, but it took me over two weeks to do. When

you are dealing with vector files, everything has to be perfect," Weir said.

In the fall Weir will be a junior at Dawson Springs High School and will be taking an information and technology course at the Caldwell County Area Technology Center. The course will go over the basics of computers.

Weir said he is interested in Sullivan University in Louisville, where he wants to pursue a career as a computer technician or a network administrator.



TANNER WEIR sits at a desk at the Dawson Springs Housing Authority office deciding which version of the new logo he will use.

photo by Dasha Tuck



MIKE MARSILI helping Lori Wooton get every bit of tomato sauce out of her can by rinsing it with vinegar.

photo by Dasha Tuck

Sauce Is Ready For Annual Barbecue

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said.

This year the community center will only be in charge of the cooking. The city will be organizing the other festivities.

Hall said the barbecue is her favorite time of the year besides Christmas. It's really a homecoming she said.

There were a few young faces volunteering their time making sauce. Hall said trying to get young people involved is important because the ones who have been involved for so long will not always be around.

The sauce will be bottled for purchase later in the summer. Hall said the sauce will go fast. She said people will come at noon asking to buy sauce and by that time it's all sold.

Nichols said they haven't always made their own sauce for the barbecue but when the sauce they used to purchase became too expensive, the community came together and started this operation.

The price per pound of barbecue has not been set yet. Nichols said it will depend on the price of the meat when it is purchased. That price will be determined sometime in July.

The barbecue date is set. Mark your calendars for July 24.

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Youngsters hit and run during action at park



THESE athletes have been learning the games of baseball and softball during summer league action at the municipal park recently. Tee ballers Haiden Richardson (clockwise, from top left) watches the ball as he prepares to smack a hit; Susie Smith and Katie Blanchard run the bases; and Cade Barnett makes good contact with the ball when he gets a hit. Vanessa Tackett runs toward first after hitting the ball during a 12-and-under softball game.

Photos by Dasha Tuck



12U BASEBALL STANDINGS

North Division	W	L	GB
Crittenden White Sox	6	3	-
Crittenden Brewers	5	4	1
Crittenden Cardinals	4	4	1.5
Dawson Reds	3	5	2.5
Crittenden Blue Jays	0	8	5.5

South Division	W	L	GB
Lyon Orioles	9	0	-
Lyon Red Sox	6	1	2
Caldwell Marlins	5	3	3.5
Caldwell Dodgers	3	7	6.5
Caldwell Pirates	1	7	7.5

10U BASEBALL STANDINGS

	W	L	GB
Lyon Yankees	8	0	-
Caldwell Rangers	6	1	1.5
Lyon Dodgers	7	2	1.5
Caldwell Braves	6	3	2.5
Dawson Giants	4	4	4
Crittenden Blue Jays	2	7	6.5
Crittenden Cardinals	2	7	6.5
Dawson Rockies	2	7	6.5
Caldwell Diamondbacks	1	7	7

8U BASEBALL STANDINGS

	W	L	GB
Crittenden Dodgers	6	1	-
Lyon Red Sox	6	1	-
Caldwell Rangers	7	2	-
Dawson Cubs	6	2	0.5
Crittenden Cardinals	5	3	1.5
Lyon Rockies	5	3	1.5
Caldwell Pirates	4	3	2.5
Caldwell Yankees	4	5	3.5
Caldwell White Sox	1	6	5
Lyon Giants	1	6	5
Dawson Mets	0	6	5.5
Caldwell Athletics	1	8	6

12U SOFTBALL STANDINGS

	W	L	GB
Caldwell Yankees	10	0	-
Lyon Reds	7	4	3.5
Crittenden Cardinals	6	5	4.5
Caldwell Cubs	3	7	7
Dawson Braves	0	10	10

10U SOFTBALL STANDINGS

	W	L	GB
Caldwell Rays	5	0	-
Dawson Red Sox	5	1	0.5
Caldwell Dodgers	5	3	1.5
Caldwell Blue Jays	4	4	2.5
Lyon Cardinals	2	3	3
Crittenden Angels	2	6	5
Crittenden Giants	0	6	5.5

8U SOFTBALL STANDINGS

	W	L	GB
Caldwell Dodgers	10	0	-
Crittenden Angels	8	1	1.5
Caldwell Rangers	6	3	3.5
Caldwell Athletics	5	5	5
Dawson Pirates	4	6	6
Lyon Cardinals	3	7	7
Crittenden White Sox	2	7	7.5
Caldwell Rays	1	10	9.5

Standings as of Sunday, June 14

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RESULTS FROM MONDAY, JUNE 8

AT PRINCETON
Crittenden White Sox, PPD
Mets at Pirates, PPD
Mets at White Sox, PPD
Rockies at Yankees, PPD

AT MARION
Caldwell Athletics 010 3 — 4
Crittenden Dodgers 616 6 — 19
Athletics leading hitters: Xander Sample 2B; J.T. Palm 1B, 2B; Cody Pruitt 1B, 2B; Logan Brown 3B; Carter Bedell 3B.
Dodgers leading hitters: Kaiden Travis 1B, 1B, 1B; Braeden Odom 1B, 1B, 3B; Garner Stallins 1B; Zachary Purvis 1B, 2B, 2B; Ethan Thomas 1B, 1B, 2B; Jantzen Fowler 1B, 3B; Kyler Goodwin 1B, 2B; Caleb Whobrey 1B, 2B; Andrew Candelario 1B; Trent Todd 1B, 2B; Caleb Riley 1B, 3B; Levi Suddoth 1B, 2B.

AT EDDYVILLE
Cardinals at Red Sox, PPD
Red Sox at Giants, PPD

RESULTS FROM THURSDAY, JUNE 11

AT PRINCETON
Dawson Cubs 560 — 11
Caldwell Rangers 000 — 0
Cubs leading hitters: Micah Washburn 1B; Ashton Cook 1B, 2B; Kolby Crook 1B, 1B; Josh Pace 2B; Ashton Rawlins 1B, HR; Kaleb Stringfield 2B; Dakota Berry 1B.
Rangers leading hitters: Gus Fox 1B; Potter Gray 1B.

Caldwell Yankees 113 003 — 8
Caldwell Athletics 000 011 — 2
Yankees leading hitters: Channing Puckett 1B; Scott Cortner 1B, 1B, HR; Rudra Patel 1B, 1B; J.J. Lowery 1B; Austin Markham 1B, 1B, 2B; Ethan Franklin 1B, 1B; Elijah Thomas 1B.
Athletics leading hitters: Xander Sample 1B; J.T. Palm 1B; Cody Pruitt 1B, 1B, 3B; Trayton Freeman 1B, 1B; Carter Bedell 1B; Landry Dunbar 1B; Graham Grissom 1B.

Dawson Cubs 336 — 12
Caldwell Yankees 100 — 1
Cubs leading hitters: Micah Washburn 1B, 1B; Colton Dismang 1B, 1B; Ashton Cook 1B, 1B; Kolby Crook 2B, HR; Josh Pace 1B, 1B; Ashton Rawlins 1B, HR; Kaleb Stringfield 2B; Dakota Berry 1B; Chris Morgan 1B, 1B; Cadence Harris 1B, 3B; Jayson Knapp 2B.
Yankees leading hitters: Scott Cortner HR; Austin Markham 1B; Drayden Sherrill 1B.

Lyon Red Sox 340 051 — 13
Caldwell Pirates 004 420 — 10
Red Sox leading hitters: Carson Collins 1B, 1B, 3B; Cooper Collins 1B, 1B, 1B, 1B; Lukas Breedlove 2B; Dylan Yates 2B.
Pirates leading hitters: Luke Maddox HR; Eli Stevens 1B, HR; Cade Rowland HR; Logan King 1B, 3B; Daniel Laurent 1B, 1B; Layton Wall 2B, 2B; Max Ortt 1B.

AT MARION
Caldwell White Sox 2
Crittenden Cardinals 7
White Sox leading hitters: Not available.
Cardinals leading hitters: Not available.

Crittenden Dodgers 026 215 — 16
Crittenden Cardinals 423 00x — 9
Dodgers leading hitters: Kaiden Travis 1B; Zachary Purvis 1B, HR; Ethan Thomas 1B, 2B; Jantzen Fowler 1B; Caleb Whobrey 1B, 1B; Clayton Murray 1B; Andrew Candelario 3B, HR; Caleb Riley HR.
Cardinals leading hitters: Travis Bull 2B; Grayson Davidson 1B, 1B; Landon Curry 1B, 3B; Quinn Summers 1B; Grayson James 1B, 1B; Ethan Rhodes HR; Christopher Gernigan 1B; Tucker Riley 1B, 1B.

AT EDDYVILLE
Dawson Mets 003 051 — 9
Lyon Rockies N/A — 10
Mets leading hitters: Not available.
Rockies leading hitters: Not available.

Lyon Giants 330 0 — 6
Lyon Rockies 646 4 — 20
Giants leading hitters: Not available.
Rockies leading hitters: Not available.

RESULTS FROM SATURDAY, JUNE 13

AT PRINCETON
Crittenden Cardinals 204 40 — 10
Caldwell Yankees 200 00 — 2
Cardinals leading hitters: Travis Bull 1B, 1B, 3B; Grayson Davidson 1B, 1B; Landon Curry 1B, 1B; Quinn Summers 1B, 1B, 2B; Bennett McDaniel 1B, 1B; Grayson James 1B, 1B, 1B; Ethan Rhodes 2B; Tyler Smith 1B, 1B; Isaac James 1B; Jayden Cotton 1B.
Yankees leading hitters: Rudra Patel 1B; Scott Cortner 1B; Channing Puckett 1B; Austin Markham 3B.

Caldwell White Sox 000 1 — 1
Caldwell Yankees 226 5 — 15
White Sox leading hitters: Braydon Goodwin 1B; Camden Thatcher 1B, 1B; Cameron McDaniel 1B; Lane Stinson 1B; Eli Cotton 1B.
Yankees leading hitters: Rudra Patel 1B, 2B; Scott Cortner 1B, 1B, HR; Channing Puckett 1B, 1B; J.J. Lowery 1B, HR; Austin Markham 1B, 1B; Trevaughn Copeland 1B, 1B; Ethan Franklin 1B, 1B; Elijah Thomas 1B, 1B; Noah Bailey 1B, 1B; Drayden Sherrill 1B, 1B.

Caldwell Athletics 001 000 — 1
Caldwell Rangers 250 03x — 10
Athletics leading hitters: Graham Grissom 1B, 1B; Case Ortt 1B; J.T. Palm 1B, 1B; Landry Dunbar 1B.
Rangers leading hitters: Chase Lantrip 1B, 1B, 1B, 1B; Cason Littlejohn 1B, 1B, 1B, HR; Dominique White 2B, 2B; Kaden Heaton 1B, 2B, 2B, HR; Potter Gray 1B, 1B, 1B; Pax Aikins 1B.

Caldwell Rangers 543 5 — 17
Caldwell White Sox 000 0 — 0
Rangers leading hitters: Chase Lantrip 1B, 1B, 1B, 1B; Cason Littlejohn 1B, 1B, HR, HR; Dominique White 1B, 1B, 1B, 1B; Kaden Heaton 1B, 1B, 1B, 2B; Potter Gray 1B, 1B, 2B, HR; Max Heaton 1B, 1B, 1B; Deacon Carter 1B.
White Sox leading hitters: Braydon Goodwin 1B; Dalton Rustin 1B; Lane Stinson 1B.

AT EDDYVILLE
Dawson Mets 7
Lyon Giants 9
Mets leading hitters: Not available.
Giants leading hitters: Not available.

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RESULTS FROM TUESDAY, JUNE 9

AT PRINCETON
Crittenden White Sox 200 020 — 4
Caldwell Athletics 001 63x — 10
White Sox leading hitters: Elle McDaniel 1B, 1B; Elliot Evans 1B; Dixie Hunter 1B, 3B; Andrea Federico 1B, 2B; Karli Beavers 1B, 1B, 1B; Rachel Mundy 1B; Cheyenne Starkey 1B.
Athletics leading hitters: Abigail Graham 1B, 1B; Maci Tyler 1B, 1B, 1B, 2B; Ella Patterson 3B; Ja'Khia Copeland 1B, 2B; Lainey Beshear 1B, 1B, 2B; McKinley Wadlington 1B, 1B; Ke'Darriah Thompson 1B, 1B; Halli Stewart 1B; Jenny Wright 1B.

Caldwell Athletics 101 021 — 5
Caldwell Rangers 310 102 — 7
Athletics leading hitters: Abigail Graham 1B; Maci Tyler 2B, HR; Ella Hunter 1B, 1B, 3B; Ja'Khia Copeland 1B, 3B; Lainey Beshear 1B, 1B; McKinley Wadlington 1B, 1B; Ke'Darriah Thompson 1B, 1B; Halli Stewart 1B.
Rangers leading hitters: Haley Dalton 1B, 1B, 2B; Riley Thompson 1B, 1B, 1B; Katy Smiley 1B, 1B, 1B; Bailey Duncan 1B; Alyvia Barnwell 1B, 2B; Keirli Herran 1B.

AT DAWSON SPRINGS
Caldwell Dodgers 233 33 — 14
Dawson Pirates 100 0x — 1
Dodgers leading hitters: Avery Wells 1B, 1B, 1B, 1B; Lilly Perry 1B, 1B, 2B, 3B; Hannah Lowery 1B, 1B, 1B; Ashlee Ladd 1B, 1B, 1B; Kaylee Ladd 1B, 1B, 1B; Nyla Sykes 1B, 1B, 1B; Jordan Ortt 1B, 1B; Allie Holt 1B, 1B.
Pirates leading hitters: Madison Brandon 2B; Ruby Jade Hilt 1B.

Dawson Pirates 000 200 — 2
Caldwell Dodgers 321 35x — 14
Pirates leading hitters: Ruby Jade Hilt 1B; Gracie Barnett 1B; Madison Brandon 1B; Gracylin Haynes 1B; Kylee Hancock 1B; Tallie Rae Robinson 1B.
Dodgers leading hitters: Avery Wells 1B, 1B, 1B, 2B; Lilly Perry 1B, 1B, 2B, 3B; Hannah Lowery 1B, 1B, HR; Ashlee Ladd 1B, 1B; Kaylee Ladd 1B, 1B, 1B; Nyla Sykes 1B; Jordan Ortt 1B, 1B; Allie Holt 1B.

AT EDDYVILLE
Caldwell Rays 000 0 — 0
Lyon Cardinals 641 3 — 14
Rays leading hitters: Madison French 1B, 1B; Davani Williams 1B, 1B; Marissa Smith 1B.
Cardinals leading hitters: Gracelyn Taylor 1B; Tavionna Edwards 1B, 1B, 1B; Jenna Coursey 1B, 1B; Courtney Schenk 1B, 2B, 3B; Bailey Breitrick 1B, 3B; Courtney Collins 1B; Adrian Robinson 1B; Brooklyn Croft 1B, 1B; Ashlynn Taylor Hale 1B; Johanna Cabiness 1B; Brenna Breitrick 1B; Kylie Downing 1B; Cayelyn Downing 1B.

Crittenden Angels 052 44 — 15
Lyon Cardinals 400 00 — 4

10U BASEBALL LEAGUE

RESULTS FROM TUESDAY, JUNE 9

AT PRINCETON
Crittenden Blue Jays 240 — 6
Caldwell Braves 511 — 7
WP: Cannon Littlejohn **LP:** N/A
Blue Jays leading hitters: Tyler Belt 2B, HR; Case Gobin 3B; Gabe Keller 1B.
Braves leading hitters: Cofy Harris 1B, 1B; Scott Cortner 2B.

Caldwell Rangers 544 — 13
Caldwell Diamondbacks 40x — 4
WP: Barrett Cotton **LP:** Barrett Darnell
Rangers leading hitters: Luke Parker 3B; Damarius Thompson 2B.
Diamondbacks leading hitters: Barrett Darnell 1B; Christian Jones 1B.

AT MARION
Lyon Yankees 006 13 — 10
Crittenden Cardinals 301 1x — 3
Yankees leading hitters: Luke Burchett 1B; Dakota Robinson 1B; Peyton Carney 1B.
Cardinals leading hitters: Jacob Suggs 2B, 2B; Travis Champion 2B; Seth Blackburn 1B; Jason Millikan 2B.

AT DAWSON SPRINGS
Dawson Giants 260 — 8
Dawson Rockies 204 — 6
WP: Matthew Cunningham **LP:** Gage Smiley
Save: Chris Jones
Giants leading hitters: Caleb Davis 1B; Matthew Cunningham 1B; Ashton Rawlins 2B.
Rockies leading hitters: None.

RESULTS FROM FRIDAY, JUNE 12

RESULTS FROM MONDAY, JUNE 8

AT PRINCETON
Cardinals at Marlins, PPD
Red Sox at Pirates, PPD

AT MARION
Caldwell Dodgers 006 01 — 7
Crittenden Blue Jays 000 0x — 0
WP: N/A **LP:** Ian Ellington
Dodgers leading hitters: Blake Vivrette 1B, 1B, 1B; Russ Beshear 2B, 2B; Jordan Hammett 1B; Gunnar Simpson 1B.
Blue Jays leading hitters: Tucker Sharp 1B.

Crittenden White Sox 503 0 — 8
Crittenden Brewers 001 5 — 6
WP: Tyler Boone **LP:** Trace Adams
White Sox leading hitters: Jack Reddick 1B; Tyler Boone 1B, 2B; Dakota Lamb 2B.
Brewers leading hitters: Maddox Carlson 1B, 1B; Braxton Winders 2B; Trace Adams 1B, 1B; Lathan Easley 2B.

AT EDDYVILLE
Reds at Orioles, PPD

RESULTS FROM TUESDAY, JUNE 9

AT EDDYVILLE
Dawson Reds 000 10 — 1
Lyon Orioles 201 33 — 9
WP: Aiden Rush **LP:** Davis
Reds leading hitters: McKnight 1B; Davis 2B.
Orioles leading hitters: Josh Cissell 1B; Corey Cissell 2B; Joshua Wright 2B.

RESULTS FROM THURSDAY, JUNE 11

AT PRINCETON
Caldwell Marlins 443 0 — 11
Caldwell Pirates 000 1 — 1

Angels leading hitters: Kayleigh Weathers 1B, 2B; Jaycee Champion 1B; Sierra Patrick 2B, 2B; Taylor Haire 1B, 2B; Mia Hackney 1B, 1B, 2B, HR; Hanna Mott 1B, 1B, 2B; Georgia Holeman 2B; Layla Winn 1B, 3B; Abigail Martin 1B, 3B; Sofia Holliman 2B.
Cardinals leading hitters: Gracelyn Taylor 1B; Tavionna Edwards 1B; Jenna Coursey 1B, 2B; Courtney Schenk 1B; Bailey Breitrick 1B; Courtney Collins 1B; Brooklyn Croft 1B, 1B; Ashlynn Taylor Hale 2B.

RESULTS FROM FRIDAY, JUNE 12

AT PRINCETON
Caldwell Rangers 310 200 — 6
Caldwell Rays 010 000 — 1
Rangers leading hitters: Haley Dalton 1B, 2B, 3B, HR; Riley Thompson 1B, 1B; Katy Smiley 1B, 1B, 1B; Haley Clark 1B, 1B; Bailey Duncan 1B, 1B.
Rays leading hitters: Madison French 1B, 1B, 1B; Adley Lewis 1B, 1B; Morgan Aikins 1B, 1B; Lexie Sullivan 1B; Carly Palm 1B, 1B, 1B; Makenzie French 1B.

Caldwell Athletics 102 526 — 16
Caldwell Rays 000 100 — 1
Athletics leading hitters: Abigail Graham 1B, 1B, 1B, 1B; Maci Tyler 1B, 1B, 1B; Ella Patterson 1B, 1B, 3B, HR, HR; Ja'Khia Copeland 1B, 1B, 1B; Lainey Beshear 1B, 1B, 1B; McKinley Wadlington 1B, 1B, 1B; Ke'Darriah Thompson 1B, 1B, 1B; Halli Stewart 1B, 1B, 1B.
Rays leading hitters: Adley Lewis 1B, 1B; Morgan Aikins 1B, 1B; Jaden Milan 1B; Lexie Sullivan 1B; Carly Palm 1B, 1B, 1B.

AT MARION
Dawson Pirates 200 01 — 3
Crittenden Angels 261 4x — 13
Pirates leading hitters: Bailee Coates 1B; Hailey Oldham 1B, HR; Kyleigh Vinson 1B; Alanna Harris 1B, 2B; Kylee Hancock 1B; Kaylee Sargent 1B.
Angels leading hitters: Kayleigh Weathers 2B; Hanna Mott 1B, 3B; Sierra Patrick 1B, 3B, 3B; Mia Hackney 1B, 1B; Jaycee Champion 1B, 2B, HR; Taylor Haire 2B, 2B, 2B; Mary Rachel Stephens 1B; Abigail Martin 2B; Georgia Holeman HR; Sofia Holliman 1B, 1B.

AT EDDYVILLE
Crittenden White Sox 200 100 — 3
Lyon Cardinals 504 50x — 14
White Sox leading hitters: Elle McDaniel 1B, 1B, 1B; Elliot Evans 1B, 1B, 2B; Dixie Hunter 1B, 2B; Andrea Federico 1B; Karli Beavers 1B, 1B, 2B; Addison Wood 1B.
Cardinals leading hitters: Emma Brasher 1B, 1B, 1B; Gracelyn Taylor 1B, 1B, 1B; Jenna Coursey 1B, 1B, 1B; Courtney Schenk 1B, 1B, 1B; Bailey Breitrick 2B; Tavionna Edwards 3B, 3B; Courtney Collins 1B, 2B; Adrian Robinson 1B; Brooklyn Croft HR; Ashlynn Taylor Hale 1B, 1B; Johanna Cabiness 1B, 1B.

AT PRINCETON
Dawson Rockies 201 — 3
Caldwell Braves 450 — 9
WP: Cannon Littlejohn **LP:** Casey Fain
Rockies leading hitters: Trenton Shuck 1B.
Braves leading hitters: None.

Dawson Giants 210 1 — 4
Caldwell Diamondbacks 120 0 — 3
WP: Matthew Cunningham **LP:** Ben Goodaker
Giants leading hitters: Caleb Davis 1B, 1B; Matthew Cunningham 1B; Ashton Rawlins 2B.
Diamondbacks leading hitters: Parker Dixon 1B; Barrett Darnell 1B; Brandon McCoy 1B.

AT EDDYVILLE
Crittenden Blue Jays N/A — 2
Lyon Dodgers 66x — 12
WP: Jonathan Downing **LP:** N/A
Blue Jays leading hitters: Not available.
Dodgers leading hitters: Brandon Ray 1B; Jonathan Downing 1B, 2B.

Crittenden Cardinals 320 — 5
Lyon Yankees 166 — 13
Cardinals leading hitters: Seth Guess 1B; Seth Blackburn 1B.
Yankees leading hitters: Jacob Peek 3B; John Ryder Bingham 2B; Conner Stovall 1B; Dakota Robinson 2B, 3B.

Lyon Dodgers 535 — 13
Crittenden Blue Jays N/A — 4
WP: Walker Sutor **LP:** N/A
Dodgers leading hitters: Brandon Ray 2B, HR; Jonathan Downing 2B, 2B; Jackson Brown 1B.
Blue Jays leading hitters: Not available.

12U BASEBALL LEAGUE

RESULTS FROM MONDAY, JUNE 8

AT PRINCETON
Cardinals at Marlins, PPD
Red Sox at Pirates, PPD

AT MARION
Caldwell Dodgers 006 01 — 7
Crittenden Blue Jays 000 0x — 0
WP: N/A **LP:** Ian Ellington
Dodgers leading hitters: Blake Vivrette 1B, 1B, 1B; Russ Beshear 2B, 2B; Jordan Hammett 1B; Gunnar Simpson 1B.
Blue Jays leading hitters: Tucker Sharp 1B.

Crittenden White Sox 503 0 — 8
Crittenden Brewers 001 5 — 6
WP: Tyler Boone **LP:** Trace Adams
White Sox leading hitters: Jack Reddick 1B; Tyler Boone 1B, 2B; Dakota Lamb 2B.
Brewers leading hitters: Maddox Carlson 1B, 1B; Braxton Winders 2B; Trace Adams 1B, 1B; Lathan Easley 2B.

AT EDDYVILLE
Reds at Orioles, PPD

RESULTS FROM TUESDAY, JUNE 9

AT EDDYVILLE
Dawson Reds 000 10 — 1
Lyon Orioles 201 33 — 9
WP: Aiden Rush **LP:** Davis
Reds leading hitters: McKnight 1B; Davis 2B.
Orioles leading hitters: Josh Cissell 1B; Corey Cissell 2B; Joshua Wright 2B.

RESULTS FROM THURSDAY, JUNE 11

AT PRINCETON
Caldwell Marlins 443 0 — 11
Caldwell Pirates 000 1 — 1

12U SOFTBALL LEAGUE

RESULTS FROM TUESDAY, JUNE 9

AT PRINCETON
Crittenden Cardinals 443 3 — 14
Caldwell Cubs 413 2 — 10
WP: N/A **LP:** Aglaeshia Copeland
Cardinals leading hitters: Isabella Minton 1B; Kacie Easley 1B; Lilly Perryman 2B; Destiny Knight 2B; Josie Tapp 2B; McKenzie Quertermous 3B; Skye Tercero HR; Jalynn Hackney 1B.
Cubs leading hitters: Kaylee Brown 1B, 1B; A'Majurnae Hollowell 1B, 1B; Aglaeshia Copeland 1B, 2B; Amy Farmer 1B, 1B; Anna Turpin 2B; Alexis Wynn 1B; Illysa Stallins 2B.

Crittenden Cardinals 640 2 — 12
Caldwell Cubs 224 2 — 10
WP: N/A **LP:** Aglaeshia Copeland
Cardinals leading hitters: Isabella Minton 1B; Kacie Easley 2B; Lilly Perryman 2B, HR; Josie Tapp 1B; McKenzie Quertermous 1B, 2B; Jalynn Hackney 2B.
Cubs leading hitters: Kaylee Brown 1B; A'Majurnae Hollowell HR; Aglaeshia Copeland 1B, 1B; Amy Farmer 1B; Anna Turpin 1B, 1B; Alexis Wynn 1B; Illysa Stallins 1B.

AT EDDYVILLE
Caldwell Yankees 000 104 — 5
Lyon Reds 000 100 — 1
WP: Ashlynn Dearing **LP:** N/A
Yankees leading hitters: Keri Reynolds 1B; Ashlynn Dearing 1B; Keli Reynolds 1B; Jenna Jaggers HR.
Reds leading hitters: Calista Collins 2B.

Caldwell Yankees 302 61 — 12
Lyon Reds 033 14 — 11
WP: Ashlynn Dearing **LP:** N/A
Yankees leading hitters: Keri Reynolds 1B; Ashlynn Dearing 1B, 1B, 3B; Keli Reynolds 2B, 3B; Jenna Jaggers 2B, 3B; Jaycee Jones 1B; Takyrhelle Boyd 1B; Jessica Wright 1B.
Reds leading hitters: Adriana Galusha 1B, 1B; Calista Collins 1B, 1B; Kyra Craft 1B; Kerstin Craft 1B; Octavia Bradley 1B.

RESULTS FROM THURSDAY, JUNE 11

12U BASEBALL STANDINGS

North Division	W	L	GB
Crittenden White Sox	8	3	-
Crittenden Brewers	7	4	1
Crittenden Cardinals	4	6	3.5
Dawson Reds	3	7	4.5
Crittenden Blue Jays	0	10	7.5

South Division	W	L	GB
Lyon Orioles	10	0	-
Lyon Red Sox	7	1	2
Caldwell Marlins	6	4	4
Caldwell Dodgers	4	8	7
Caldwell Pirates	2	8	8

10U BASEBALL STANDINGS

	W	L	GB
Lyon Yankees	8	0	-
Caldwell Rangers	7	1	1
Lyon Dodgers	7	2	1.5
Caldwell Braves	7	3	2
Dawson Giants	4	5	4.5
Crittenden Cardinals	3	7	6
Crittenden Blue Jays	2	8	7
Dawson Rockies	2	7	6.5
Caldwell Diamondbacks	1	8	7.5

8U BASEBALL STANDINGS

	W	L	GB
Lyon Red Sox	8	1	-
Crittenden Dodgers	9	2	-
Dawson Cubs	8	2	0.5
Crittenden Cardinals	7	3	1.5
Caldwell Pirates	6	3	2
Caldwell Rangers	7	5	2.5
Lyon Rockies	5	4	3
Caldwell Yankees	5	6	4
Caldwell Athletics	2	9	7
Lyon Giants	1	7	6.5
Caldwell White Sox	1	8	7
Dawson Mets	0	9	8

12U SOFTBALL STANDINGS

	W	L	GB
Caldwell Yankees	12	0	-
Lyon Reds	7	5	5
Crittenden Cardinals	6	6	6
Caldwell Cubs	4	7	7.5
Dawson Braves	0	11	11.5

10U SOFTBALL STANDINGS

	W	L	GB
Caldwell Rays	6	1	-
Caldwell Dodgers	7	3	0.5
Dawson Red Sox	5	3	1.5
Caldwell Blue Jays	7	5	1.5
Crittenden Angels	3	7	4.5
Lyon Cardinals	2	6	4.5
Crittenden Giants	2	7	5

8U SOFTBALL STANDINGS

	W	L	GB
Caldwell Dodgers	11	0	-
Crittenden Angels	8	2	2.5
Caldwell Rangers	7	4	4
Caldwell Athletics	7	5	4.5
Dawson Pirates	4	6	6.5
Lyon Cardinals	3	8	8
Crittenden White Sox	2	8	8.5
Caldwell Rays	1	10	10

Standings as of Sunday, June 21



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12U BASEBALL LEAGUE

RESULTS FROM MONDAY, JUNE 15

AT PRINCETON
Lyon Red Sox 201 616 — 16
Caldwell Marlins..... 102 612 — 12
WP: Nick Whalin LP: Braxton Hubbard
Red Sox leading hitters: Brady Darnall 2B; Tray Hawkins 1B, 1B, 2B; Nick Whalin HR, HR; Brody Williams 1B, 1B, 2B; Luke Grigg 2B; Beau Wilson 1B.
Marlins leading hitters: Preston Nichols 1B, 1B, 2B; Nick White 2B, 2B, 3B, HR; Braxton Hubbard 1B, 1B; Ethan Hallum 1B.
Caldwell Pirates..... 112 001 5 — 10
Caldwell Dodgers..... 001 004 4 — 9
WP: N/A LP: N/A
Pirates leading hitters: Gabe Dyer 1B, 2B; Dylan Dawson 1B; Tate VanHooser 1B, 2B; Deontaye Walls 1B.
Dodgers leading hitters: Landon Pace 2B; Blake Vivrette 1B, 1B, 1B; Devin Kilgore 2B; Russ Beshear 1B, HR.

AT MARION
Lyon Orioles..... 666 3 — 21
Crittenden Blue Jays..... 010 x — 1
WP: Aiden Rush LP: Ian Ellington
Orioles leading hitters: Gunnar Bingham 1B, 1B, 2B, 2B; Clay Haines 1B; Aiden Rush 1B, 2B, HR; Jackson Shoulders 1B, 1B; Josh Cissell 1B; Corey Cissell 2B, 2B, HR; William Padilla 1B, 2B.
Blue Jays leading hitters: Caden McCalister HR.
Crittenden Cardinals..... 120 02 — 5
Crittenden Brewers..... 021 5x — 8
WP: Trace Adams LP: Luke
Cardinals leading hitters: Luke Mundy 1B.
Brewers leading hitters: Trace Derrington 1B; Braxton Winders HR; Trace Adams 1B, 2B; Lathan Easley 1B, 1B, 1B; Seth Blackburn 1B.

AT DAWSON SPRINGS
Crittenden White Sox 606 — 12
Dawson Reds 00x — 0
WP: Ben Evans LP: Jones
White Sox leading hitters: Jack Reddick 1B; Tyler Boone 1B; HR; Dakota Lamb 1B.
Reds leading hitters: None.

RESULTS FROM THURSDAY, JUNE 18

AT PRINCETON
Dawson Reds 3
Caldwell Dodgers..... 9
WP: N/A LP: N/A
Reds leading hitters: Not available.
Dodgers leading hitters: Not available.
Caldwell Pirates..... 105 3 — 9
Caldwell Marlins..... 631 x — 10
WP: Nick White LP: Deontaye Walls
Save: T.J. Ray
Pirates leading hitters: Dylan Dawson 1B, 2B; Deontaye Walls 1B; Zac Goodwin 1B; Aaron Hensley 1B, 2B.
Marlins leading hitters: Preston Nichols 1B; Nick White 1B, 2B; Braxton Hubbard 1B, 1B; Jacob Clark 1B; Ethan Trotter 1B, 1B; Ian Wall 1B; Ethan Hallum 2B; Logan Teague 1B.

AT MARION
Crittenden Brewers..... 105 6 — 12
Crittenden Blue Jays..... 103 x — 4
WP: Trace Adams LP: Caden McCalister
Brewers leading hitters: Trace Derrington 1B; Maddox Carlson 1B, 1B, 1B; Braxton Winders 2B; Trace Adams 1B, 1B, 2B.
Blue Jays leading hitters: Tanner Beverly 1B; Caden McCalister HR.
Crittenden Cardinals..... 101 0 — 2
Crittenden White Sox..... 201 x — 3
WP: Tyler Boone LP: Hunter Hopper
Cardinals leading hitters: None.
White Sox leading hitters: Ben Evans 1B; Dakota Lamb 1B; Erik O'Leary 1B

AT EDDYVILLE
Red Sox at Orioles, PPD

10U BASEBALL LEAGUE

RESULTS FROM TUESDAY, JUNE 16

AT PRINCETON
Caldwell Diamondbacks 201 — 3
Caldwell Braves 023 — 5
WP: Easton Kizzee LP: Ben Goodaker
Diamondbacks leading hitters: Christian Jones 1B; Barrett Darnell 2B; Connor King 3B; Ben Goodaker 3B; Brandon McCoy 1B.
Braves leading hitters: Blake Bard 2B; Josh Rogers 1B.

AT MARION
Crittenden Cardinals 11
Crittenden Blue Jays..... 4
Cardinals leading hitters: Jacob Suggs 1B; Seth Guess 2B; Travis Champion 3B; Seth Blackburn 1B; Jaxon Hatfield 1B.
Blue Jays leading hitters: Not available.

AT DAWSON SPRINGS
Caldwell Rangers 14
Dawson Giants 3
Rangers leading hitters: Not available.
Giants leading hitters: Not available.

AT EDDYVILLE
Rockies at Dodgers, PPD

RESULTS FROM FRIDAY, JUNE 19

AT PRINCETON
Rockies at Rangers, PPD

AT MARION
Diamondbacks at Blue Jays, PPD

AT DAWSON SPRINGS
Braves at Giants, PPD

AT DAWSON SPRINGS
Yankees at Dodgers, PPD

8U SOFTBALL LEAGUE

RESULTS FROM MONDAY, JUNE 15

AT EDDYVILLE
Caldwell Rangers 613 26 — 18
Lyon Cardinals..... 212 66 — 17
Rangers leading hitters: Haley Dalton 1B, 1B, 2B; Rylee Thompson 1B, 1B, 1B; Katy Smiley 1B, 1B, 1B, 2B; Bailey Duncan 1B, 1B, 1B, 1B; Haley Clark 1B, 1B, 1B, 1B; Alyvia Barnwell 1B, 1B, 1B; Jazmine Richardson 2B; Kali Sherrill 1B, 1B, 2B.
Cardinals leading hitters: Emma Brasher 1B, 1B, 1B; Gracelyn Taylor 1B, 1B; Jenna Coursey 1B, 1B, 2B; Courtney Schenk 1B, 2B, 2B; Tavionna Edwards 1B, 1B, HR; Courtney Collins 1B, 1B, 3B; Brooklyn Croft 1B, 1B, 1B; Ashlynn Taylor Hale 1B, 1B, 2B; Adi Young 1B, 1B.

RESULTS FROM TUESDAY, JUNE 16

AT PRINCETON
Caldwell Dodgers..... 411 430 — 13
Caldwell Rangers 430 203 — 12
Dodgers leading hitters: Avery Wells 1B, 3B, HR, HR; Lilly Perry 1B, 2B, 2B; Hannah Lowery 3B; Ashlee Ladd 1B, 1B, 2B; Kaylee Ladd 1B, 1B; Harper Holeman 1B, 1B; Nyla Sykes 1B, 1B; Jordan Ortt 1B; Allie Holt 1B, 1B.
Rangers leading hitters: Haley Dalton 1B, 1B, 2B, HR; Rylee Thompson 1B, 1B, 1B, 2B; Katy Smiley 1B, 2B, 2B, 2B; Bailey Duncan 1B, 1B; Haley Clark 1B, 1B; Alyvia Barnwell 1B.

Rays at Dodgers, PPD

AT MARION
Caldwell Athletics 011 62 — 10
Crittenden White Sox 000 00 — 0
Athletics leading hitters: Abigail Graham 1B, 1B; Maci Tyler 1B, 1B, HR; Ella Patterson 1B, HR; Ja'Khia Copeland 1B, 1B; Lainey Beshear 1B, 1B, 1B; McKinley Wadlington 1B, 1B, 1B; Ke'Darriah Thompson 1B, 1B; Halli Stewart 1B, 1B, 1B.
White Sox leading hitters: Elle McDaniel 1B, 2B; Elliot Evans 1B; Karli Beavers 1B; Carly Porter 1B.

Caldwell Athletics 332 401 — 13
Crittenden Angels 032 01x — 6
Athletics leading hitters: Abigail Graham 1B, 1B, 1B, 2B; Maci Tyler 1B, 1B, 1B, 2B; Ella Patterson 1B, 2B, 2B; Ja'Khia Copeland 1B, 1B, 1B; Lainey Beshear 1B, 1B; McKinley Wadlington 1B, 1B, 1B, 1B; Ke'Darriah Thompson 1B, 1B; Halli Stewart 1B, 1B.
Angels leading hitters: Kaleigh Weathers 1B; Jaycee Champion 1B, 1B; Hanna Mott 1B, 1B; Mia Hackney 1B, 3B; Taylor Haire 1B, 1B, 1B; Mary Rachel Stephens 1B, 2B; Layla Winn 2B; Sofia Holliman 3B; Georgia Holeman 1B.

Caldwell Athletics 332 401 — 13
Crittenden Angels 032 01x — 6
Athletics leading hitters: Abigail Graham 1B, 1B, 1B, 2B; Maci Tyler 1B, 1B, 1B, 2B; Ella Patterson 1B, 2B, 2B; Ja'Khia Copeland 1B, 1B, 1B; Lainey Beshear 1B, 1B; McKinley Wadlington 1B, 1B, 1B, 1B; Ke'Darriah Thompson 1B, 1B; Halli Stewart 1B, 1B.
Angels leading hitters: Kaleigh Weathers 1B; Jaycee Champion 1B, 1B; Hanna Mott 1B, 1B; Mia Hackney 1B, 3B; Taylor Haire 1B, 1B, 1B; Mary Rachel Stephens 1B, 2B; Layla Winn 2B; Sofia Holliman 3B; Georgia Holeman 1B.

RESULTS FROM FRIDAY, JUNE 19

AT PRINCETON
Angels at Rangers, PPD
White Sox at Rangers, PPD

AT EDDYVILLE
Athletics at Cardinals, PPD
Pirates at Cardinals, PPD

8U BASEBALL LEAGUE

RESULTS FROM MONDAY, JUNE 15

AT PRINCETON
Crittenden Dodgers..... 603 614 2 — 22
Caldwell Pirates..... 004 646 3 — 23
Dodgers leading hitters: Kaiden Travis 1B, 1B, 2B, 2B; Zachary Purvis 1B, 1B, 1B, 1B, 2B; Ethan Thomas 1B, 1B, 2B, 2B; Jantzen Fowler 1B, 1B; Kyler Goodwin 1B, 1B, 1B, 1B; Caleb Whobrey 1B, 1B; Klayton Murray 1B, 1B; Andrew Candelario 1B, 1B, HR; Trent Todd 1B, 2B; Caleb Riley 1B, 1B, 1B; Levi Suddoth 1B; Braden Odum 1B.
Pirates leading hitters: Luke Maddox 1B, 1B, 1B; Preston Birrell 1B, 2B, 2B; Cade Rowland 1B, 1B; Logan King 1B, 1B, 2B, 2B; Eli Stevens 1B, 1B, 2B; Layton Wall 1B, 1B, 2B; Drew Stevens 1B, 1B; Blake Darnell 1B, 1B, 1B, 3B; Daniel Lauren 1B, 1B, 1B; Ma Ortt 1B, 1B.

Caldwell White Sox 020 000 — 2
Caldwell Athletics 200 01x — 3
White Sox leading hitters: Lane Morris 1B; Walker Keen 1B; Cameron McDaniel 1B, 3B; Deason Morris 1B, 2B.
Athletics leading hitters: Case Ortt 1B; Cody Pruitt 1B, 1B, HR; J.T. Palm 1B, 1B, 2B; Carter Bedell 1B, 1B; Hayden Patterson 1B; Madux Copeland 1B.

Crittenden Dodgers..... 112 65 — 15
Caldwell White Sox 040 00 — 4
Dodgers leading hitters: Kaiden Travis 1B, 1B, 1B; Braden Odum 1B, 1B; Zachary Purvis 1B, 1B, 1B; Ethan Thomas 1B, 1B, 2B; Jantzen Fowler 1B, 1B, 1B; Kyler Goodwin 1B, 1B, 1B; Caleb Whobrey 1B, 3B; Klayton Murray 1B, 1B; Andrew Candelario 1B, 1B, 2B; Trent Todd 1B, 1B; Caleb Riley 1B; Levi Suddoth 1B, 3B.
White Sox leading hitters: Dalton Rustin 1B, 1B; Lane Stinson 1B; Lane Morris 1B, 1B; Walker Keen 1B; Cameron McDaniel 1B; Brayden Goodwin 1B.

Lyon Giants 102 01 — 4
Caldwell Yankees 360 6x — 15
Giants leading hitters: Kayden Patterson 1B, 3B; Turner Hurst 1B, 1B, 1B; Isaac Defew 1B, 1B; Justice Harvey 1B; Tyler Ketchey 1B.
Yankees leading hitters: Rudra Patel 1B, 1B, HR; Scott Cortner HR, HR, HR; Channing Puckett 1B, 1B, 3B; J.J. Lowery 1B, 1B; Austin Markham 1B, 1B; Trevaughn Copeland 1B, 1B, 1B; Ethan Franklin 1B, 1B; Elijah Thomas 1B, 1B; Noah Bailey 1B; Addison Heppner 1B.

AT DAWSON SPRINGS
Crittenden Cardinals 9
Dawson Mets 2
Cardinals leading hitters: Not available.
Mets leading hitters: Not available.

Lyon Rockies..... 000 1 — 1
Dawson Cubs 234 6 — 15
Rockies leading hitters: Trace Walker 1B; Kadin Riley 1B; Grayson Smallwood 1B; Andrew Sharp 1B; David Kraft 1B.
Cubs leading hitters: Micah Washburn 1B, 1B; Colton Dismang 3B; Ashton Cook 1B, 1B; Kolby Crook 2B, 3B; Joshua Pace 1B, 1B; Ashton Rawlins 3B; Gabriel Thomas 1B; Kaleb Stringfield 1B; Dakota Berry 1B, 2B; Chris Morgan 2B; Cadence Harris 3B; Robert Davis 1B.

AT DAWSON SPRINGS
Caldwell Rangers 3
Lyon Red Sox 16
Rangers leading hitters: Not available.
Red Sox leading hitters: Not available.

AT EDDYVILLE
Caldwell Rangers 3
Lyon Red Sox 16
Rangers leading hitters: Not available.
Red Sox leading hitters: Not available.

RESULTS FROM TUESDAY, JUNE 16

AT PRINCETON
Caldwell Rangers 301 0 — 4
Caldwell Pirates..... 466 x — 16
Rangers leading hitters: Dominique White 1B, 2B; Kaden Heaton 1B, 2B; Potter Gray 1B, 1B; Gus Fox 3B.
Pirates leading hitters: Luke Maddox 1B, 3B; Preston Birrell 1B, 2B; Cade Rowland 1B, 2B, HR; Logan King 1B, 1B, 1B; Eli Stevens 1B, 1B, 1B; Layton Wall 1B, 2B, 2B; Drew Stevens 1B, 3B; Blake Darnell 1B; Daniel Lauren 1B.

AT DAWSON SPRINGS
Lyon Red Sox 21
Dawson Mets 11
Red Sox leading hitters: Not available.
Mets leading hitters: Not available.

RESULTS FROM THURSDAY, JUNE 18

AT PRINCETON
Crittenden Cardinals 142 012 — 10
Caldwell Athletics 010 200 — 3
Cardinals leading hitters: Grayson Davidson 1B, 1B, 2B; Grayson James 1B; Quinn Summers 1B, 3B, HR; Bennett McDaniel 1B, 1B, 1B; Tyler Smith 1B; Isaac James 1B, 1B; Travis Bull 1B, 1B; Tucker Riley 1B; Seth Henry 1B; Jayden Cotton 1B, 1B; Landon Curry 1B.
Athletics leading hitters: Hayden Patterson 1B, 1B; J.T. Palm 1B; Carter Bedell 1B, 2B; Graham Grissom 1B; Logan Brown 1B; Madux Copeland 1B.

AT MARION
Caldwell Rangers 300 40 — 7
Crittenden Dodgers..... 206 24 — 14
Rangers leading hitters: Cason Littlejohn 1B, 1B, 1B; Potter Gray 1B, 2B, 2B; Kaden Heaton 1B, HR; Dominique White 1B; Pax Aikins 3B; Max Heaton 3B.
Dodgers leading hitters: Kaiden Travis 2B; Braedom Odum 1B, 2B, 2B; Garner Stallins 1B, 1B; Zachary Purvis 2B, 2B, 3B; Ethan Thomas 1B, 2B; Jantzen Fowler 1B, 1B; Andrew Candelario 1B, 1B; Caleb Riley 1B, 1B; Levi Suddoth 3B; Breylen Clifford 1B.

Caldwell Yankees 001 12 — 4
Crittenden Dodgers..... 460 3x — 12
Yankees leading hitters: Rudra Patel 1B, 2B; Scott Cortner 2B, 3B; Channing Puckett 1B, 1B; Jason Lowery 1B; Austin Markham 1B; Trevaughn Copeland 1B, 1B; Ethan Franklin 1B.
Dodgers leading hitters: Kaiden Travis 1B, 3B, 3B; Braedom Odum 1B, 1B, 1B; Zachary Purvis 1B, 3B; Ethan Thomas 1B, 2B; Kyler Goodwin 1B; Caleb Whobrey 2B; Andrew Candelario 3B, 3B; Trent Todd 1B, 1B; Caleb Riley 1B, 1B; Levi Suddoth 1B, HR; Breylen Clifford 1B.

Caldwell Yankees 000 01 — 1
Dawson Cubs 400 53 — 12
Mets leading hitters: Charlie Day 1B; Taylor Crick 1B; Jackson Hilt 3B.
Cubs leading hitters: Micah Washburn 1B, 1B; Colton Dismang 1B, 2B; Ashton Cook 1B, 1B; Kolby Crook 1B, 3B; Joshua Pace 1B, 1B; Ashton Rawlins HR; Gabriel Thomas 1B; Kaleb Stringfield 1B; Dakota Berry 1B.

Pirates at Cubs, PPD

AT EDDYVILLE
Red Sox at Rockies, PPD
White Sox at Giants, PPD

12U SOFTBALL LEAGUE

RESULTS FROM TUESDAY, JUNE 16

AT PRINCETON
Crittenden Cardinals 100 0 — 1
Caldwell Yankees 452 3 — 14
WP: Ashlynn Dearing LP: Destiny Knight
Cardinals leading hitters: Destiny Knight 1B; Isabella Holliman 3B; Kate Keller 1B.
Yankees leading hitters: Keri Reynolds 1B, 1B; Keli Reynolds 1B; Jenna Jaggers 1B, 1B; Jaycee Jones 1B; Brooke Dennison 1B; Jessie Jones 1B.

Reds at Yankees, PPD

AT DAWSON SPRINGS
Caldwell Cubs..... 666 1 — 19
Lyon Braves..... 202 x — 4
WP: Illysa Stallins LP: N/A
Cubs leading hitters: Emily Kirk 1B, 3B; Nicole Cravens 1B, 1B; Aglaeshia Copeland 1B; A'Majurnae Hollowell 1B; Anna Turpin 1B, 2B; Kaitlyn Amaya 1B, 1B, 2B; Illysa Stallins 2B; Siya Patel 1B.
Braves leading hitters: None.

Cubs at Braves, PPD

RESULTS FROM THURSDAY, JUNE 18

AT PRINCETON
Lyon Reds 202 03 — 7
Caldwell Yankees 112 13 — 8
WP: Ashlynn Dearing LP: N/A
Reds leading hitters: Maddie Downing 1B; Adriana Galusha 1B, 1B; Tori Schenk 1B, 2B; Calista Collins 1B, 1B; Kyra Craft 1B; Rachael Coursey 1B.
Yankees leading hitters: Ashlynn Dearing 1B, 1B, 3B; Keli Reynolds HR; Jenna Jaggers 1B, 1B; Brooke Dennison 3B; Takyrhelle Boyd 2B; Jacey Jaggers HR.

10U SOFTBALL LEAGUE

RESULTS FROM MONDAY, JUNE 15

AT PRINCETON
Lyon Cardinals..... 300 0 — 3
Caldwell Dodgers..... 356 x — 14
Cardinals leading hitters: Kandice Cotton 1B; Allie Bell 1B; Bre Harris 1B, 1B; Maddie Sherrill 1B; Sara Grace Herring 1B, 1B.
Dodgers leading hitters: Jourdan Romhill 1B, 1B, 3B; Lexie Teague 1B, 1B, 1B; Kynady Thomas 1B, 1B, 1B, 2B; Lainey Frisch 1B, 1B, 1B, 1B; Kennedy Hughes 2B; Tallie Branch 1B, 1B, 1B; Kenzie McConnell 1B, 1B.

Caldwell Dodgers..... 100 114 4 — 11
Caldwell Rays..... 010 024 0 — 7
Dodgers leading hitters: Jourdan Romhill 1B, 1B, 2B; Lexie Teague 1B, 1B, 3B; Kynady Thomas 1B, 1B, 2B; Lainey Frisch 1B; Kennedy Hughes 2B; Tallie Branch 1B; Ella Beshear 1B, 1B, 1B.
Rays leading hitters: Madison Guill 1B, 3B; Maggy Griggs 1B, 2B; A.J. Hollowell 2B, 2B; Sydney McKinney 1B, 2B, 2B; Ella Ramey 1B, 1B; Annabelle Rushing 1B, 1B.

AT MARION
Caldwell Blue Jays..... 213 1 — 7
Crittenden Giants 031 2 — 6
Blue Jays leading hitters: Laney Jones 1B, 2B; Kendra Richardson 1B, 1B, 2B; Audrey Hensley 2B; Ali Southard 2B; Clara Ortt 2B.
Giants leading hitters: Aubre Conyer 1B; Jaylee Champion 3B, HR; Brylee Conyer HR; Sofie Watson 1B, 2B.

Crittenden Giants 306 — 9
Caldwell Blue Jays..... 130 — 4
Giants leading hitters: Aubre Conyer 1B, 1B, 1B; Jaylee Champion 2B, 2B; Brylee Conyer 1B, 3B; Hailey Johnson 1B, 1B; Katie Perryman 1B; Sofie Watson 1B, 2B; Kaylee Hewitt 1B; Addison Mundy 3B.
Blue Jays leading hitters: Laney Jones 1B, 3B; Audrey Hensley 2B; Clara Ortt 2B; Katie Menser 1B, 2B; Libby Jones 1B.

AT DAWSON SPRINGS
Crittenden Angels..... 220 — 4
Dawson Red Sox..... 001 — 1
Angels leading hitters: Karsen Shouse 1B, 3B, HR; Callie Brown 1B; Hadlee Rich 1B; Hailey McCann 2B; Emily Mattingly 1B, 1B; Hanna Mott 1B.
Red Sox leading hitters: Rachael 1B, 1B; Marissa 1B, 1B; Brooklyn 2B; Shelby 1B.

RESULTS FROM THURSDAY, JUNE 18

AT PRINCETON
Dawson Red Sox..... 4
Caldwell Rays..... 7
Red Sox leading hitters: Not available.
Rays leading hitters: Not available.

Crittenden Angels..... 000 01 — 1
Caldwell Blue Jays..... 100 01 — 2
Angels leading hitters: Karsen Shouse 2B; Callie Brown 1B, 2B; Hadlee Rich 1B; Callie Dempsey 1B, 2B.
Blue Jays leading hitters: Katie Menser 1B; Clara Ortt 1B, 1B; Kendra Richardson 2B, 2B; Audrey Hensley 1B.

AT MARION
Lyon Cardinals..... 000 00 — 0
Crittenden Giants 204 00 — 6
Cardinals leading hitters: Allie Bell 1B; Bre Harris 2B; Kyleigh Scheider 1B; Maddie Sherrill 1B.
Giants leading hitters: Aubre Conyer 1B, HR; Jaylee Champion 1B, HR; Brylee Conyer 3B, HR; Hailey Johnson 1B, 1B; Katie Perryman 1B; Kaylee Hewitt 1B, 3B.

RESULTS FROM SATURDAY, JUNE 20

AT PRINCETON
Lyon Cardinals..... 201 — 3
Caldwell Blue Jays..... 060 — 2
Cardinals leading hitters: Kandice Cotton HR; Allie Bell 1B; Bre Harris 1B, 2B; Kyleigh Schneider 1B.
Blue Jays leading hitters: Alicia Stanley 1B; Kendra Richardson 2B; Audrey Hensley 1B; Clara Ortt 2B; Laney Jones 1B; Katie Menser 1B, 2B; Ali Southard 1B.

Hit the ball!

BOYS and girls learn to hit a baseball during summer youth league games at the municipal park. Putting the bat and the ball are (from left) Aeden Crook, Kaylyn Cotton and Payson Menser.



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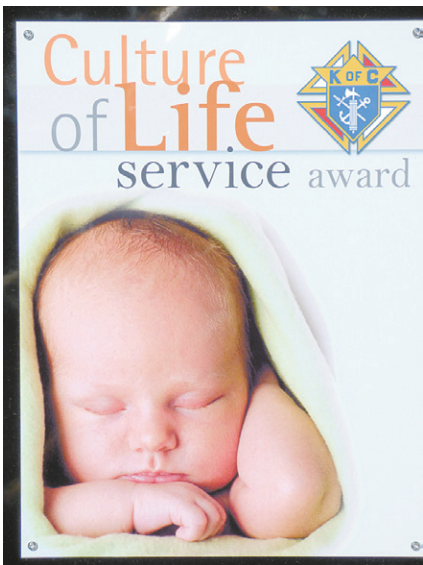
PEOPLE

Bluegrass On Beshear Wins Life Service Award

Bluegrass on Beshear — Pickin’ Life, a charity event held in October to benefit three local pro-life pregnancy support centers, won the Kentucky Knights of Columbus state award for Culture of Life Service in 2014. The award was announced and presented at the Knights’ annual state convention in Louisville last month.

The Blessed Trinity Council, which consists of Catholic men from Dawson Springs, Princeton and Eddyville, was singled out for the honor among the 101 active councils in Kentucky. The state office has also submitted the event for possible national recognition.

The 2014 event, held on a Sunday afternoon at Lake Beshear, was a free, family-friendly concert. Musical artists donated their time and talent to entertain



more than 150 music lovers who braved a dire weather forecast to attend. The Knights of Columbus

accepted donations and raised funds through sales of food and T-shirts to support Door of Hope in Madisonville, the H.O.P.E. Clinic in Benton and Shelter of Love in Morganfield. The Knights raised \$2,500 during the event and divided it evenly among the three life-affirming ministries.

Co-sponsor Laura Smith was happy with the outcome of the 2014 event and plans to make it even bigger this year.

“This year’s goal is to double the attendance and funds raised. We’ll have a great lineup of performers, and we’ll even provide some time in the program for people who bring instruments to pick with the pros,” she said.

Bluegrass on Beshear will be held Oct. 11, 2015, at 307 Island Cove Lane on Lake Beshear.



SHELBY BRUCE

Shelby Bruce Graduates Cum Laude From MSU

Shelby Bruce of Dawson Springs graduated cum laude from Murray State University May 9. She received a Bachelor of Science degree in special education.

The 2010 graduate of

Dawson Springs High School is the daughter of Jerry and Tracy Bruce and the granddaughter of Philip and Pat Bruce, Louise Stewart Monday and the late Roy Stewart.

Local College Student Provides Fitness Class

By Dasha Tuck

“I feel that there are not many opportunities, especially exercise wise around Dawson Springs. I wanted to provide an entry level opportunity for anyone that wants to try something new and have a no-risk idea about,” Elizabeth Black said.

Black is hosting a Free Fitness Initiative at Dawson Springs Junior-Senior High School. The events will take place every Thursday at 6 p.m. through June and July. Black is trying to introduce different styles of exercise to the community.

The University of Kentucky is where she attends college. Her major is in kinesiology, the scientific study of human movement. She plans to pursue a career in physical therapy or occupational therapy.

Black said that she wouldn’t want to pay \$50 a class for Zumba or yoga when she wasn’t sure if she was going to like the class. She said that after being away at college where she had access to free fitness classes daily, then returning home, she

realized how deprived her hometown was of fitness opportunities.

She said there are fitness classes offered in Madisonville but not everyone has the means to travel, and the classes can be expensive. Black said she wanted to host a program in town that offered fitness and nutrition training free of charge for her hometown.

During the first week of her program she hosted a Zumba class. Anita Black, Elizabeth’s mother, said that the class was fun and when people got tired they just took breaks. The second week was a yoga class and this week, Dawson Springs graduate, Brittany Simons Hall, a dietician, came to speak with the group about healthy eating.

Hall provided many examples of a healthy diet. She also passed out recipes that fit the guidelines she listed.

Next weeks class will be line dancing led by Linda Perchelli. All classes are completely free and the instructors are donating their time as well.

Swimming Lessons Offered At City Pool

Swimming lessons will be given at the Dawson Springs City Pool July 6 to July 10. Lessons will last from 9 to 10 a.m.

Local Residents Named To WKU Honors Lists

Several Dawson Springs residents were named to the Dean’s and President’s lists for the spring 2015 semester at Western Kentucky University.

Sarah C. Hall, Alan L. Black, Matthew J. Snell and Audrey E. Brown

were on the Dean’s List, which includes full-time undergraduate students with a grade-point average of 3.4 to 3.79.

Lindsey L. Byrd, Crysta L. Hicks and Tristin F. Holt were named to the President’s List for having a GPA of 3.8 to 4.0.

Princeton Editor Retires After 39-Year Career

News editor Anita Baker is retiring from The Times Leader in Princeton after a 39-year career in local media.

Baker will be honored with a reception Wednesday, June 24, from 1-2:30 p.m. at The Times Leader office on West Washington Street. The community is invited to stop by to enjoy refreshments and wish Baker well on her retirement.

A 1968 graduate of Caldwell County High School, Baker went to work for the Caldwell County Times in August 1976.

In 1993, she remained with the newspaper business when the Caldwell County Times and Princeton Leader merged to form The Times Leader.

Baker was subsequently named news editor of the local paper and will continue in that position until the end of June.

For almost 40 years,

Baker has covered community events, government meetings and given an eyewitness account of the highs and lows of Caldwell County through her words and images.

An award winning writer and photographer recognized by the Kentucky Press Association, Baker also made time over the last four decades to volunteer in the community.

She has served on the Solid Waste Committee, Caldwell County Board of Health and Princeton Renaissance/Main Street Committee. Baker was recognized for her contributions to the community in 2000 when the Princeton Optimist Club made her grand marshal of the Black Patch Parade.

“I believe that a good newspaper is one of the most valuable assets a community can have,” Baker said.

YMCA Announces Schedule For Summer Food Program

The Hopkins County YMCA sponsors a mobile summer food service program which stops at four sites in Dawson Springs Monday through Friday.

During the first two weeks of the program, June 1 through June 12, a total of 591 meals were

served in the Dawson Springs area.

Local sites and times are the municipal park pavilion, 12:45 p.m. to 1 p.m.; Clarkdale Court, 1:05 p.m. to 1:20 p.m.; Belmont Apartments, 1:25 p.m. to 1:40 p.m.; and Rosedale Court, 1:45 p.m. to 2 p.m.

YW Club Holds Meeting At Pennyrile State Park

The Dawson Springs YW Club met June 18 at Pennyrile Forest State Resort Park. Hostesses for the evening were Debbie Coats and Carolyn Stevens.

Pretty in Pink was the theme for the night. The group dined in the main room of the lodge lobby. The dining table was decorated in pink with a pink floral centerpiece, pink beads, glass stones and sparkling ornaments. A fruit plate was served with optional pink lemonade.

Club president Kathy Beshears opened the meeting, welcoming guest Kathy McAbee. Secretary Debbie Coats read the minutes, and treasurer Sharon Budd gave the treasurer’s report. Under new business it

was confirmed that the YW Club will no longer sponsor the cake walk at the Barbecue. Also a \$50 donation for the Fourth of July fireworks was approved.

After the meeting, members played Rook. Winners were McAbee, high; Charlotte Cooley, second high; and Beshears, low. Cooley won the door prize. Pretty in Pink gifts were given to all in attendance.

In addition to the hostesses and the guest, members present were JoAnn Edwards, Bobbie Kinsolving Trudy Hendrickson, Sandra Menser, Shirley Menser, Janis Peroddy, Lisa Riley, Marvalyn Tolbert, Barbara Thomas, Diane Edwards, Beshears, Budd, Coats and Cooley.

Local Residents Included On Dean’s List At UK

The University of Kentucky has released its Dean’s List for the spring 2015 semester. The following Hopkins County residents were among the 6,001 students who were recognized for their outstanding academic performance:

Briana Lee Barnett, Bonnie Elizabeth Burden, Ryan Michael Caudill, Roxanne Leigh Coburn, Katlyn Page Daniel, Brett Ramsey Eakins, Jordan N. Foster, Takiera Shanea Frazier,

Morgan E. Hestand, Justin William Thomas Hill, Mason Mechiele Howard, Jordan S. Jones.

Also, Aaron Joel Labrado, Kendra Latese Logan, Joseph Thomas McClure, Jonathan Pratt Oldham, Katelyn Danielle Riggs, Kendall Brooke Riggs, Olivia Kathryn Senter, Jaliya M. Slaton, Reed T. Tabor, Victoria Lynne Wallace, Melissa J. Weil, Philip Logan Whitfield, Ryan Jess Winstead and Elizabeth D. Woodall.

LBL’s Homeplace Offers Independence Day Gala

The 1850s Working Farm and Living History Museum in Land Between The Lakes will hold a traditional celebration on the Fourth of July.

Guests can celebrate Independence Day from 1 to 4 p.m. on July 4 with races, skillet tossing, horse shoes, old-time music, toys and games. Special guest, Kentucky Statesman Henry Clay, portrayed by George McGee, will entertain visitors with antics of 1850s politics.

Admission is \$5 for ages 13 and up, \$3 for ages 5-12, and free for ages 4 and under. All the day’s activities and programs are included.

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“On July 4, the whole family can step back in time at the Homeplace and learn the history behind the most important holiday as celebrated in the 1850s,” said Ellen Bravard, interpreter at the Homeplace. “Relive a time of political speeches and community-wide picnics. We welcome everyone to join us under the shade trees, have a cool slice of watermelon and lend a hand making ice cream using a recipe from The Homeplace History and Receipt Book. Bring lawn chairs, blankets and picnic baskets to make a day of it.”

Hopkins Farm Pride Day Scheduled For Saturday

Hopkins County Farm Pride Day will be held Saturday from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Ballard Convention Center in Madisonville.

The program is for all Hopkins County residents and includes free food, door prizes and a petting zoo for the kids.

The LifeLine helicopter will be on site. Hopkins County Emergency Management will have a booth, and Baptist

Health Madisonville will provide free blood pressure checks.

Other special points of interest include antique and late model agriculture equipment, demonstrations and information regarding farm safety, plant issues, canning and nutrition. Exhibits also include a Hopkins County Farmers’ Market and the Pennyroyal Master Gardners Association.

Hale Reunion Scheduled

The family of James B. and Rebecca Cressy Hale will have a reunion Saturday at the Dawson Springs Community Cen-

ter. A potluck meal will be served at noon. All Hale family descendants are invited to attend.



THE Pennyrile Garden Club’s selection for the “Yard of the Month” for June is the 213 E. Railroad Ave. home of Richie and Sabrena McKnight.

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